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THE DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

BALTIMORE, July 9.—The grand central point of interest here to-day was the Opera House, where the Convention was to assemble, but, owing to its limited capacity, and the certainty that only those outsiders would have accommodations who were first on the ground, a steady stream of humanity set in toward the place where the Convention was to meet at midday, which kept up long after the resources of the little hall had been exhausted. The hotels where the different delegations make their headquarters, almost at daylight, are swarming with people. The gossip and speculation usually to characterize of the present character partook more of the future than the present. Men had but little say about the work that was in store for the Convention, for all that was looked upon as a forgone conclusion. But there were many interchanges of opinions as to the prospects when Grant and Greeley should be fairly entered in the Presidential race. The sanguine of the belligerents and people here, in this respect, is more than encouraging. It is fairly exhilarating. Grant's confidence in his own re election is said to be unbounded, but the faith of the Greeleyites in the fortune of their candidate is something sublime. The representatives here from New England claim one-half of the States in that section for the Cincinnati Baltimore ticket. The four States which they claim for a certainty are Connecticut and New Hampshire, while they are confident that Maine will be made something more than debatable ground. Not to be outdone in general hopefulness for the ticket, the southern delegates promise it the electoral vote of the entire South, with the exception of South Carolina, and perhaps Florida.

The day opened with more real genuine enthusiasm in Greeley's behalf than has yet been manifested, although it has always been evident that but the occasion was necessary to draw it forth. The cause for this was partly to the rapid approach of the time for the assembling of the Convention, but much more to the fact that the Greeley men have apparently an appearance with view to discourage Greeley's nomination as much as possible through the idea that they are afraid of the power of his character, to day; one might imagine that bound files of the Chicago Times and the New York World were on hand here, and they had been granted the gift of speech, with a wonderful accoustic provision for echo, but those times gone by. Every hour is rectified, so as to make it appear that the wisest and best men of the Republican party have severed themselves from the leading wing of it in trying to force upon the country another four years' reign of corruption, usurpation, and despotism, and whatever individual opinion we may entertain as to the choice of the candidates whom they have selected in opposition to General Grant, there cannot be any gainsay of the impudence with which they have undertaken to dictate their action, nor can any fault be found with the platform of principles upon which they have put forward their claims. The honest men of the Cincinnati Convention are what the country require, and they must command the hearty support of every patriot throughout the vast extent of our land. The question is to whom we must look to principle, and not men, and I trust to personal predilections or prejudices will find no room for consideration in the hearts of people. General Grant has been a good and faithful soldier during our civil war. His stubborn, indomitable coûrage drove the armies of the Union arms with victory, and the American people have rewarded his services with most unbounded generosity. He has given evidence that his intentions on taking the Presidential chair were good and patriotic. But he has most signally and sadly failed in the discharge of the high trust imposed on him by the confidence of a grateful people. He is at this moment the very personification of the party which is opposed to reform, and his re-election is fraught with the most deplorable consequences for the welfare of the Republic, and of the happiness of the people. On the other hand, Mr. Greeley has been heretofore a bitter opponent of the Democratic party for years, and his admirable and manly letter of acceptance shows that he is fully alive to their spirit, and that if he is elected he means to carry them out honestly and faithfully. Second prize, therefore, to your freedom, decide to pronounce in favor of the Cincinnati candidates. I shall, for one, most cheerfully and heartily support them, and I trust to see all their election with the same zeal and energy with which I have supported heretofore, and shall continue supporting, the candidates of the Democratic party. The American people look with deep solicitude to your deliberations. It is for you to revive the spirit by which we freed from the evils under which they are suffering; but, in order to attain that end, you are called upon to act in every respect as a true and loyal party preference. However much you might desire to fight the coming battle for our principles under other leaders, I do not think you will decide otherwise. The magnitude of the issue and people here, in this respect, is more than encouraging. It is fairly exhilarating. Grant's confidence in his own re election is said to be unbounded, but the faith of the Greeleyites in the fortune of their candidate is something sublime. The representatives here from New England claim one-half of the States in that section for the Cincinnati Baltimore ticket. The four States which they claim for a certainty are Connecticut and New Hampshire, while they are confident that Maine will be made something more than debatable ground. Not to be outdone in general hopefulness for the ticket, the southern delegates promise it the electoral vote of the entire South, with the exception of South Carolina, and perhaps Florida.

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"Before I propose to your acceptance the temporary Chairman of this Convention, permit me to detain you one moment longer by a few words of brief and sincere counsel. With my present action terminates my official functions as Chairman of the National Democratic Committee. In severing this official tie, I thank my constituents and the courtesy of my colleagues, I have held for twelve consecutive years during all that time I have striven to the best of my heretofore and with all the energy and capacity which God has given me to do my duty faithfully to the party and to the country. To render myself worthy of the great trust conferred upon me. While I was grieved and pained to be unable to see eye to eye with many of my friends and actions misconstrued by several Democratic papers—that scene even descended to the vilification of the most sacred feelings concerning my social and political conduct—I have been proud of the consoling satisfaction that my motives and intentions in all the very ultimate objects of my labors were understood by all those who know me—did justice to the integrity and purity of my intentions in all the trying circumstances. In

# PARIS.

## President Thiers and the National Assembly.

## The Recent Elections---Fishing for Gudgeons---Culture of Maggots for Bait,

## The Affair Dubourg--Deportation of Communists--Negotiations for German Evacuation of France.

From Our Own Correspondent

PARIS, June 11.

"Man is not perfect." This is the title of our recent theatrical extravaganzas, and it is really one of the truest of all aphorisms.

MR. THIERS AND THE ASSEMBLY.

I spoke to you, last week, of the admirable speech of Mr. Thiers relative to filling up the army, a treatise on military art for the use of France, and a masterpiece of good sense. As if everything must have its shadow, every medal its reverse, and every man some weakness, this magnificent programme of military reorganization has engendered suddenly a tendency toward civil disorganization, quieted for the moment, but which will do its work some day.

Some amendments, probably offered for the purpose of annoyance, had been proposed by members of the majority, in order to try to modify the provisions of the Army bill, especially in reference to the length of service. One of them was for four years, instead of five. Mr. Thiers, rather unwisely, I think, thought fit to discuss it anew, while he would have done better to let it die like its predecessors. Then, carried away by a long-restrained anger, perhaps by the impulse of the moment, or a false calculation, he, for the second time, declared to the Assembly that, if they did not adopt the five-year term, he should withdraw.

Thereupon, there was was naturally a great sensation; because, if one has a master—and that is the case with the present Assembly—one does not like to hear every moment, "If you do not do what I want, and all I want, I am going to leave." Then the irritated Mr. Thiers replied that it was free for him to withdraw, and to accept or refuse the responsibility of this or that action; that it would be strange if every one in the Chamber, except him, had a right to leave, etc., etc. In short, the Honorable President went on for a long, like a horse which starts off at full speed, without knowing how or where it is going.

The Assembly became calm. Nothing pacifies a nascent irritation like the sight of a greater one. They would have liked to torment the leopard Thiers, and tease him as one does a dog; but he was furiously in earnest, and they were well enough acquainted with his character to know that he might leave them, and forever. Those who had the greatest desire to worry him became silent, and withdrew their amendments. Others asked to have the matter postponed till the next day. But Mr. Thiers wanted the dispose of it at once. His Versailles wrath, real and feigned, was, or seemed to be, at its height, and wanted neither delay nor reply, merely an immediate contest, as if he had a desperate ability in reserve.

The unhappy amendment was defeated overwhelmingly. Fifty only voted for it, rather through opposition to Mr. Thiers than because they believed in it. For the present the mistake in this untimely outbreak of the President was, that it was made without reason, since he was plainly going to carry his point fully, and without difficulty, through the simple power of his sagacious ability, his enlightened patriotism, and his wonderful good sense.

Now, it must be said, in his defence, that he is provoked and excited, especially by the Monarchical majority, which, instead of sustaining him,—or, if it does not want that, at least openly overthrowing him,—spends its time in teasing him, as an ignorant and cowardly crowd does a poor prisoner through his dungeon-bars. There are from 250 to 300 who, in varying degrees, dream of the restoration of the Monarchy, not because they believe in it, but because they hope for places and honors. As they disagree as to the candidate,—some wishing Chambord, some Orleans, and others Bonaparte,—none of them earnestly want to turn out Mr. Thiers, fearing to make a place for some one besides their candidate,—his enemy whom they fear more than Mr. Thiers. But all, banded together, yelping, hair-slowing their teeth, more fearful than angry, jealous than fearful, bark and howl around the President, like spaniels around a large dog. They do all they dare to anger him. No sooner have they succeeded than they feel a sense of terror, and cower in every direction. He growls, and is fearless, feeling his strength, having no one to overthrow, since all have fled.

Although these words are partly wrong in this fantastic dispute, it will plainly end badly. Each one feels and knows it, and says so openly, and this leaven of discord between the two divergent powers will ruin us in the chief cause of a constant uneasiness, which is felt more in higher circles than among the people, but which is all the more serious. A couple who are constantly quarrelling, and one of whom often talks of divorce, are not apt to see their union prosper.

Things went so far, this time, that one of the immigrants of the majority,—a Mr. Raoul Duval,—a modern aspirant for political celebrity, wanted to request the President, publicly, to govern according to the wishes of the majority. Thereupon there was a great stir in the lobbies of the Assembly. The Right met. It was greatly stirred up. It discussed, voted on, originated, and then rejected, twenty unreasonable propositions, and ended by sending a deputation of three of its members to Mr. Thiers. They were the Duke d'Audiffret, Passquier, General Changarnier, and Saint Marc Girardin,—a pretentious disciple of the majority, a pedagogue by nature and profession, and, probably, with his doctrinaire style, better able to torment Mr. Thiers than any other man. These gentlemen were to have made their remonstrances yesterday to Mr. Thiers at Versailles. Nothing is yet known of the results of the visit. But it will end in nothing until the day when some sudden fit of anger on the part of the President of the Assembly will send one side or other to domestic life. But you know there are households where storms seem absolutely necessary, and yet where they manage to live along, after a fashion, till the end of mesalliances, of mesalliances without love, but without a rupture. Perhaps this will be the case with our irritating Assembly and its irascible husband, the President of the Republic.

THE RECENT ELECTIONS.

Four elections—in the Nord, the Somme, the Doubs, and Corsica—have caused some excitement this week, especially those in the three first districts,—for, in Corsica, as was expected, a Bonapartist was chosen, which will hurt that cause instead of helping it. The Corsican is sore just now in France; and is a common term of insult to call Napoleon one. However, he is no more a Corsican than you or I,—his father, whom he resembles exactly, being the Count de Finlanmit, a Picard; and his mother, a Beauharnais, a Creole, who had Prince Louis Napoleon as a mere nominal husband. The fact that the Conseiller-elect Bonaparte is so zealously in a sufficient reason for France not wanting them.

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THE FISHING SEASON.

The opening of the fishing season has brought from their gloomy corners the fishers and their manifold implements. They alone seem active on both banks of the Seine, from Corbeil to Argenteuil. Morning and evening, their cohorts, armed with rods, lines, hooks, boxes, and bait, fill depots, wagons, and omnibuses, like Argonauts starting for the conquest of the Golden Fleece. Their Ecco, on their return from two days of heat and water, with wearied arms and eyes, consists of one or two dozen gudgeons, the size of mice, for lucky fishers, and nothing at all for the others. Still they are satisfied, and their happiness is so contagious that the faster the fish decrease, the more proselytes they make. I have often asked what was the chief cause of this controlling passion for fishing with hook and line. Is it the love of idleness, or the thirst for prey? Probably both.

At all events, it is a passion which, while it does not greatly harge the fish in our rivers, affords employment to many people who make the articles used in fishing. I could send you master enough to fill a paper, made up of the names of all the things one experienced angler uses to catch the little fish called gudgeons, and which are about a tenth the size of the whitebait of your lakes; the tools, implements, baits, tricks, acquired service, and patience. So I give a statement of the amount of worms and maggots consumed in Paris, they being ordinarily used for bait.

THE CULTURE OF MAGGOTS.

It is said that there are sold, each summer, in Paris, more than a thousand million maggots, living generally in putrid meat. Hundreds of individuals carry on this profitable business, but there are only eight or ten engaged in it on a large scale. The leading, one of them sells in six months, year in and year out, about six millions; but it is proper to add that he has dealings in the provinces, and has agents who daily bring him these wares from all parts of Paris. He pays from 6 to 11 cents the pound, according to the quality, and sells them at from 25 to 50 cents. His establishment, or his boarding-house, as he calls it, is a large enclosure at Montmartre. In the middle of it is an immense hole, filled with dung and earth, where the earth-worms are seen crawling by thousands. As for the maggots, here and there are collections of offal, chiefly sheep's heads, where they have their nutritious dwelling, and where Father Earthworm, as the devil is called, gets his daily supply. Can you see, can you smell, these creatures, picked up from a swarming dunghill, or from heads which fairly move with their many inhabitants? They say that no business is foolish, and that only people are so. Father Earthworm is not a fool, since he has already saved up 200 000 francs in his trade. Still, his profession of maggot-raising has so many repulsive aspects that I cannot advise any one to bring his children up to it.

DUBOURG.

They tried this week, at Paris, Mr. Dubourg, the husband who killed his wife, caught in the very act of adultery, and whose story made such a sensation some weeks ago. He was sentenced to five years' imprisonment. Opinions are very much divided about this matter,—some excusing the husband, and others the wife, according to their temperament, their past, their conjugal situation, or their fears. The husband tried to kill himself in the court-room by swallowing a bottle of ether, but he succeeded only in stupefying himself for some hours. He will once appeal his case.

THE COMMUNISTS.

The Commission sentenced by the Military Courts are gradually leaving for New Caledonia. This week, 600 or 700 have been sent off, on two or three vessels. Among them were Assi, Pascal Grousset, and other members of that incendiary body called the Commune. Rochefort, who amounts to far more than his cowardly assistants, has not yet gone. He is said to be very sick, and to be unable to stand the journey. Poor boy! With an easy nature, and full of smartness, an immoderate pride has gradually led him to folly, when he had almost all that was necessary to make a distinguished writer, and a good and patriotic writer. The Church is right when it says that one of the chief stumbling blocks of humility is pride.

LICENSED GAMING.

The question of re-establishing public gambling-houses at some of the watering-places, or large cities, in France, is not determined on, will at least be soon discussed in the National Assembly. It is one of those important subjects which interest all humanity.

FRANCE AND PRUSSIA.

The negotiations between Prussia and France, relative to the evacuation of our territory, are still going on, directly,—between Count Arnim, under Von Bismarck, and Mr. Thiers. It is an important and difficult question. Our indefatigable President attends to it all himself. The superhuman activity of this immense brain is wonderful, belonging, as it does, to a little, frail, weak man. If finances are discussed, he knows them like a compound of an old banker and a statesman, and explains them so well as he knows them. When the Army bill is under consideration, he explains it, comments upon it, and elucidates it, better than any General. If a treaty, like that of Francfort, is made with the enemy, he alone, almost every day, discusses it with the enemy. He may not succeed, but I have all confidence in his infinite ability. Whatever fall from this is a marvel of science, labor, and capacity. I only do him justice, in spite or his fits of impatience. EMILE CARREY.

## TERRIBLE DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

### Triple Murder and Suicide--A Mother Kills Her Three Children by Poison, and Cuts Her Own Throat.

From the Cleveland Herald, July 8.

It has never been our duty to record a more heart-rending tragedy than one which occurred Sunday afternoon in the southwest part of Rockport Township, about eight miles from this city. Intelligence of the event was communicated to persons who came for medical assistance, and to notify the Coroner. A visit to the house of woe by our reporter enables us to lay the facts before our readers. The most incredible story proved only too true, that a woman had taken the lives of her three children by poison, and inflicted, with a knife, a fatal wound upon herself. The circumstances connected with the case are as follows:

The name of the husband and father is Henry Edmund Iworth. He is a farmer by occupation, and has been considerably in the employ of the McNairy & Claflin Manufacturing Company of this city. He lives on a small farm in the locality mentioned. His wife, Esther, who committed the terrible deed, is a daughter of Benjamin Spencer, one of the old residents of Rockport, and is 35 years of age. She was married about seven years, and had three children,—Arthur, aged 9, George Wilson, 7, and Benjamin, nearly 4. For three or four years past Mrs. Southworth has suffered much from ill-health, and in consequence was at times greatly dejected in spirits. The loss of a babe, two or three months old, during the past winter, also preyed upon her mind, and of late she has manifested occasional symptoms of mental derangement. So marked were these, that upon one occasion, when she was at Central Village, Plain Township, the physician told her brother that she should be carefully looked after or she would do harm to herself or others. Notwithstanding her ill-health, she was able to go about and to attend to the duties of her household. It is said that she had, at different times, remarked to one or two of her friends that she was tired of life, that it was in her mind to kill herself and "take her children with her," as she expressed it. No one dreamed, however, that she really entertained or would execute so terrible a purpose.

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Parties leaving the city, and breaking up household keeping, have sent me a large amount of Household Goods and Furniture, consisting of Parlor, Chamber, Dining-rooms, and Kitchen Furniture, Pianos, Mirrors, Lounges, Sleeves, Crockery, Carpets, etc., nearly all of which have been used but a few months, and will be sold, on WEDNESDAY, July 10, at 10 a. m., at No. 781 West Lake-st. All who are in want of good bargains, will do well to be on hand.
J. H. PIKE, Auctioneer.

By HORACE REED & CO.
REGULAR WEDNESDAY SALE OF
DRY GOODS,
ETC., ETC.
Full line Pique Hats; full line Victoria Lawns; full line Swiss Welts; large lot Fancy Goods, Jewelry, etc; and the finest lot of STRAW GOODS ever offered at auction in Chicago, on WEDNESDAY MORNING, at 8½ o'clock.
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AT 11 O'CLOCK,
Large Lot Hardware,
Including Grain and Grass Scythes, Pitch Goods, Shovels, etc., etc., in lots to suit
HORACE REED & CO., Auctioneers,
44 State-st.

AUCTION SALE.
By J. E. HOYT, 162 West Madison-st
40 crates of White Granite Ware, to be sold by order of the Trustees of the Staffordshire Pottery, Staffordshire, England. The sale to commence WEDNESDAY, June 10, at 9:30, sharp.
WILLIAM B DAY,
Auctioneer.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BOARDING ST BLE.
I. S. COOPER & CO. have opened a first-class Boarding Stable, rear of 427 Wabash-av., between Hubbard and Peck-courts. The best care guaranteed. No underground stalls. Inspection of the premises is respectfully invited.

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Given to each customer of the GREAT ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TEA COMPANY, 116 West Washington-st., corner Desplaines. It is unnecessary to give a description of this little gem, as the wee bespoke face of the boy tells the whole story. The best and freshest Teas and Coffees in the city for sale at importers' prices.

Minton Floor Tiles.
I am now importing the English Tiles for all persons wishing to lay them. Full line of samples of the Floor, Wall, and Hearth Tiles can be seen at my office, 162 Washington street. Orders should be handed in early to secure the rotation of duty. I am experienced man in laying Tiles. Floors styled produced by direct importation.
F. A. DOOLITTLE.

CLOTHING CUTTERS PICNIC.
All Unions are notified that our Picnic will be held in Ogden's Grove, Clybourne-av., North Side, on Wednesday, the 10th of July, afternoon and evening. Come one, come all. By order of
THE COMMITTEE.

THE C. T. TYSBURG
KATALYSINE WINE CO., would at the spring at the following rates: Three gallons, demijohns, $2.50 each. Five gallons demijohns, $3.50 each. Ounce of one dozen quart bottles, $3.00 each. If the neighboring druggists do not keep it, invalids may have it sent from the spring by forwarding their address, or ordering Post Office Money Orders or checks. Physicians and Clergymen supplied for their own use with three gallon demijohns at $2.50 each; six gallon demijohns at $2.00 each; will chose of two dozen quarts at $5.00 each. Medical and clerical vocations must be certified by nearest Post master, or other responsible parties. Address WHITNEY BROS., 27 South Front-st. Philadelphia, Pa.

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GENERAL NOTICE.

THE CINCINNATI & TERRE HAUTE
Railway Company,
Desirous of arresting the attention of manufacturers to the advantage of locating manufacturing establishments on the line of their railway, will give, to any roiling mill or blast furnace company so locating forty (40) acres of ground for works, and the coal in one hundred (100) acres of Clay or Owen County, Indiana. Coal can be mined from the same for $1 per ton. Iron ore in abundance within reach of the Hardin, Pope, or Massac County, Illinois, brown hematite beds, and agree to furnish them with all orders for ore received over their railway for the use for a period of two years.
Also, to any manufactory located upon its line, they will give twenty acres of ground required for works, the timber from 160 acres of the best oak timber land in the State, and will grant favorable rates to commence work upon.
To any large manufacturing or axle large, the necessary grounds for works, and liberal orders for their products in kind.
To all such manufacturing establishments ample facilities in the locating and successful prosecuting of their works.
Circulars descriptive of the manufacturing points upon the line of the railway will be mailed to any address upon application to
MATT. F. WOOD,
Gen'l Sup't C. & T. H. R. R. Terre Haute, Ind.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

COPARTNERSHIP.
The undersigned have this day entered into copartnership, and will continue the Commission business as heretofore. We shall be glad to serve all our old customers and as many new ones as desire our services. Attention given to buying and selling Grain, Provisions, etc., on margins. PARK, BARKER & CO.
Chicago, June 1, 1872.
The undersigned, formerly Parker, Culton & Sprague, HAROLD SPRAGUE, late Culton & Sprague. Temporary office No. 229 Washington-st., Room 5.

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PROPOSALS.

Proposals for Dimension Stone
Required in the Construction of the New Government Buildings at Chicago, Ill.
Sealed proposals will be received until the 23d day of July, 1872, at the office of the Supervising Architect, Treasury Department, for furnishing and delivering at the site of the proposed new United States Government Buildings at Chicago, Ill., the Dimension Stone required in its construction. The species of stone to be furnished is Limestone. It will be confined to Granites, Marbles, or Sandstones, and the qualities especially insisted upon will be a uniformity of color throughout the blocks furnished, their capacity for working under the chisel or hammer, and their durability. Bidders will be required to state the kind of cutting and on one the natural fracture of the stone, must be submitted in all cases.
The stone must be delivered within the actual time in buildings for at least ten years, will be considered, and, also, the facilities for the delivery of the stone during period must be furnished. The stone must furnish have a good grain, and be free from all discoloring matter, such as iron, etc. The stone for the backing must be fully opened and capable of furnishing the necessary rubble and quarry-faced stone.
About 200,000 cubic feet of stone will be required; the size of the stones cannot now be given, but will be furnished in due time. The stone will be of a regular content over 200 cubic feet.
Bidders will be required to enter into a schedule of net sizes in order that the contractor may make proper allowance for cutting in the quarrying, and on this schedule payments will be made.
Bidders will state how soon they can commence the delivery of stone, and the number of cubic feet they can deliver. They will also state the average and maximum sizes of stone that can be obtained from their quarry.
No bids will be received except from the owners or lessees of the quarries from which the stone is proposed to be furnished. A certificate from the Recorder of the county in which the quarry is situated that the bidder is the owner or lessee of the quarry, must accompany each bid.
No proposals must be made on the printed forms to be obtained of the Supervising Architect, at Washington, or Collector of Customs, Chicago, Ill., and will be accompanied by a penal bond, in the sum of $5,000, that the bidder will accept and perform the contract if awarded him.
All of the concrete stone needed will require to be delivered within forty days after the contract is entered into.
The right to reject any or all the bids is reserved.
Proposals must be addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed, "Proposal for concrete stone, Government building, Chicago, Ill.," and addressed to
JAMES A. WRIGHT,
Supervising Architect, Treasury Department.

Office of the International Navigation Company,
Proprietors of the Red Star (Antwerp) Line,
Philadelphia, July 3, 1872.
Specifications, estimates, plans, and proposals are invited for an elevator, to be constructed at Philadelphia during the present season. The following will be some of its principal features: It will be founded on piles, will be of timber, with slate roof and outside fire walls of brick. It must store 400,000 bushels and be capable of discharging from cars 5,000 bushels per hour and into three vessels at once. It will be built near the end of a pier, 36 feet wide, so that vessels can receive grain from its front and also from both its flanks. It is proposed to make it 100 feet in length, measured across the pier. It must be provided with engine and boiler and all appliances, and must be arranged for a future increase of capacity. The company reserve the right to reject any and all bids. For further information address
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We shall confine ourselves to the manufacture of the best grades of flour, both Winter and Spring Wheat.
A six weeks' trial of our new machinery has demonstrated its excellence, and we feel warranted in asserting our friends and the public that our Flours for genuine merit are unsurpassed in this or any other market. We shall give special attention to the
Retail Family Trade,
Keeping in stock the best qualities of all kinds at FAMILY BREADSTUFFS which we offer in quantities to suit, delivered in any part of the city, without charge for cartage. The old customers of the "Ionic Mills" may rely upon being as satisfactorily served here as in the times "before the fire" on the North Side.
Our location on the principal thoroughfare connecting the South and West Sides will suggest the convenience of leaving orders with us. Orders by post will receive prompt attention. Our prices are
$1 A BARREL LOWER
Than for six weeks past. A written guarantee accompanies every barrel of Flour that we retail. Try our Flour and it will make you glad.
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The Fall and Winter Term will begin Sept. 11, 1872. The College and Grammar School open the same day.
Candidates for admission to the Freshman Class will be examined July 2 and Sept. 11.
For admission apply to the undersigned.
REV. JAMES DE KOVEN, D. D.,
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RUPTURE.
VALPARAISO, Ind., July 1, 1872.
Messrs. Marsh & Bowles:
KIND SIRS: As a token of gratitude, I write you these lines in acknowledgment of the benefit secured from your Radical Cure Truss and consequent treatment of my case. If you remember, mine was a bad case of double rupture with complications. Your purchased of Drs. Marsh & Bowles had no effect in retaining it. After wearing your Radical Cure Truss for 15 months, I can now say that I am perfectly cured, and feel like any man. You can publish this letter, if you desire, and refer to me any one you wish to. With many thanks to you, I remain yours, truly, H. FULTON.
Dr. Marsh's Radical Cure Truss, all kinds of Trusses, Braces, Appetite for Deformities, etc., accurately fitted at the Radical Cure Truss Office of MARSH & BOWLES, 153 Wabash-av.
Female to wait upon ladies.

RAILROAD TIME-TABLE.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.
SUMMER ARRANGEMENT.
Chicago & Alton Railroad.
Chicago, Alton & St. Louis Through Line, and Lean Alonte (Mo.) short route from Chicago to Kansas City. Depot, Van Buren-st., foot of Sherman-st. Ticket office in Bridge.

| | Leave. | Arrive. |
|---|---|---|
| St. Louis & Springfield Express | *9.35 a m | *5.30 p m |
| Via Main Line | | |
| Kansas City Fast Express, via Jacksonville, Ill. | *9.35 a m | *5.30 p m |
| Kansas City Express | *5.00 p m | *9.00 p m |
| Weneona, Lemont, Washington, Joliet & Dwight Accommodation | *4.30 p m | *10.30 a m |
| St. Louis & Springfield Lightning Express, via Main Line and also via Jacksonville Ill. | 10.30 p m | 7.00 a m |
| Kansas City Express, via Jacksonville, Ill., Louisiana, Mo. | 10.30 p m | 7.15 a m |
| Pacific Night Express, via Jacksonville, Ill. | 10.30 p m | 7.15 a m |
| Joliet Accommodation | 6.00 p m | 10.30 a m |

Daily, via Main Line, and daily, except Saturday, via Jacksonville, Ill. †Daily, except Sunday. ‡Daily, except Monday, via Jacksonville, Ill.

Illinois Central Railroad.
Depot, foot of Lake-st. Ticket office, 63 Clark-st., corner of Michigan-av.

| | | |
|---|---|---|
| Mail, Cairo, Mattoon, Effingham, Centralia, Odin, Cairo, Mattoon, Effingham, Centralia, Odin, Springfield Express, Springfield Express, Peoria Express, Peoria Express, Dubuque Express, Dubuque Express, Gilman Passenger, Gilman Passenger, Kankakee Accommodation, Kankakee Accommodation, Hyde Park Accommodation, Hyde Park Accommodation, Hyde Park Accommodation, Hyde Park Accommodation, | 7.30 a m, 9.00 a m, 12.30 p m, 4.00 p m, 5.15 p m, 9.00 a m, 4.00 p m, 5.15 p m, 9.00 a m, 4.00 p m, 5.15 p m, 9.00 a m, 4.00 p m, 5.15 p m, 12.30 p

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## ...Y AND COMMERCIAL.

### SUMMARY.

TUESDAY EVENING, July 9.

...ness everything continues to ...and smoothly. Business grows ... it naturally would at this ...r year, and money accumulates ... The most of the banks are ...ed to increase their New York ... for the sake of the interest paid ...eir balances, and, consequently, ... exchange is firm, notwithstanding ... there is a fair amount making ...ipments of grain, cattle, etc. ...

...e symptom of speculative activity ...al markets is in wheat, which has ...d considerably to-day, but no posi... ...dency or plan has been developed ...at connection. ...

...ge was quotable to-day at from par ... $1,000 discount for sales between ...

...ERIE.

...a new President and Vice President ...Erie Railroad, but little seems to be ...d railroad circles. Mr. Peter H. ..., the new President, was once the ...rtner of Edwin Stanton, and at ...ime a resident of Washington, D. C. ...ew of him have been intimately con...d in railroad enterprises, unless the re... true that he was interested with ...s Thomas A. Scott in his recent efforts ...to get control of the Southern States ...railroads of the Southern States ...tion. If this report prove true, ...Pennsylvania road probably ...the interest of the Pennsylvania Company ...the Pennsylvania Railroad Company), ...eral Alexander S. Diven, who is the ...t Vice President of the Pan. Both of ...Erie, elected in 1870, his term ...spring in 1873.

...PRODUCT AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE ...

The commercial and financial statistics of ...e Port of San Francisco for the six months ...ding June 30, 1872, compared with the ...me in 1871, show the following details of ...istribution of precious metals shipped from ...s port to all parts of the world:

| | 1871. | 1872. |
|---|---|---|
| Silver | $519,091.00 | $1,000,000.00 |
| Gold | 56,12,206.65 | 56,12,206.65 |
| Total | 1,408,297.65 | 1,206,206.65 |
| Mexican Dollars | 309,497.00 | 264,391.00 |
| England | 1,216,808.50 | 1,489,741.00 |
| Japan | 1,000,000.00 | 1,000,000.00 |
| China | 3,060.50 | 3,612,440.00 |
| New York, Total | 5,198,882.44 | 2,746,058.81 |
| Gold Dollars | | 179,000.00 |
| Total | $6,736,733.59 | $14,904,212.25 |
| Add duties | 2,406,381.02 | 2,582,549.05 |
| | $11,141,904.37 | $16,189,532.41 |
| Specie in 1872 | | $7,647,878.46 |
| Net amount of coin exported, including ... | | $8,541,653.95 |

...The amount of coin exported, including ... ...ssue, etc., by $4,898,000 transferred from New ...ork last year, and $1,400,000 this year.

It will be perceived, by the items, that the ...ase of the exports of gold and silver in the six months of 1872, as compared with the ...ame period of 1871, and by the decrease ...n the shipments of specie to New York by ...ail, that the balance of trade and payments from the United States at large are being settled by the export of specie direct from San Francisco, instead of New York. ...The coin and bullion exported from the port of San Francisco, however, represents but a ...portion of the whole movement of the ...precious metals in the Pacific States. Of the ...million produced in other States than California, nearly the whole goes overland to New York, and does not appear in the San Francisco statistics. By the following estimates of the Commissioner of Mining, of the ...million product of the whole country for ...871, it will be seen that the product of Nevada alone exceeds that of California:

| | 1870 | 1871 | 1872 | 1871 |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Arizona | $3,000.00 | $30,000 | $30,000 | $30,000 |
| California | 21,500,000 | 25,000,000 | 20,000,000 | 20,000,000 |
| Colorado | 4,000,000 | 3,675,000 | 4,562,500 | 4,562,500 |
| Idaho | 2,000,000 | 2,000,000 | 2,000,000 | 2,000,000 |
| Montana | 9,000,000 | 9,180,000 | 8,500,000 | 8,500,000 |
| Nevada | 14,000,000 | 15,000,000 | 24,500,000 | 24,500,000 |
| Utah | 1,000,000 | 1,000,000 | 1,000,000 | 1,000,000 |
| Oregon & Wash | | | | |
| Ington | 2,000,000 | 2,000,000 | 2,000,000 | |
| Dry mines | | 100,000 | 100,000 | |
| Lake mines | | 1,500,000 | 2,000,000 | |
| Other sources | 800,000 | 825,000 | 300,000 | |
| Total | $56,300,000 | $62,310,000 | $65,053,000 | |

### RAIDS INTO THE PAST.

Modern innovations, telegraphs, railroads, and ...p canals, are fast lifting the veil of oblivion and dispelling the mystery and ...erible romance that have hung for ages ...er the oriental countries. The construction of the Suez Canal was the first modern enterprise that made the lands of ancient ...ory familiar to modern commercial ears. Before the completion of that work, the Red Sea was an "Ultimate dim Thule," known only in Milton's allusions and Arabian Nights stories. But now that it has become a commercial highway, the trade circulars of merchants in distant Hong Kong and Shanghai come to the Chicago market "via the Suez Canal and Brindisi;" ancient Brindisi founded by a colony of the early Greeks. But modern enterprise is contemplating even bolder inroads on the historic lands than these: The project of connecting the Black Sea with the remote Caspian by a ship canal is said to be favorably regarded by the Russian Government. Surveys have been made at the expense of the Government, and it has been ascertained that no serious difficulties lie in the way. The proposed ...an provides for a channel to connect the Danube, at a point near the Iron Gates of Kulna, a river which has its source in the Caucasus mountains. Its length will be about 600 miles, and the entire cost is estimated at ...bout $1,000,000 roubles. This is thought that, with a working force of 50,000 men, the work can be completed in six years.

But perhaps the most startling inroad of modern commerce upon the lands of ancient story, is the proposed Euphrates Valley Railroad. This is an English project for a shorter route to that country than by the Suez Canal, ...eans of enriching the whole world. India. For some time Captain Richard Burton, whose adventures as "Sindi Abdullah" in his pilgrimage to Mecca and El Medina some years ago, and more recently in Africa, have added a glamour and a romance to his name, has been exploring for a railroad route from the site of ancient Tyre on the Mediterranean to the Euphrates. Colonel Homero, also, an American engineer, has already surveyed a route from Tarabulus—midway ...n the coast between Tyre and Sidon—through Baalbec, and near, if not through, Palmyra, the ancient "Tadmor in the Desert," reaching the Euphrates, by a ...otal route of 400 miles long, at a point from which it is navigable for steamboats all the year round to its mouth at Persian Gulf. The roll call of the names of these hoary, silent ruins, is alone enough to awaken strange ...eelings and thoughts. Think of the locomotive whistle awakening the echoes of Palmyra's crumbling columns; or the steamboat propeller tearing out, "Baggage for Bagdad and Babylon!"

### LOCAL STOCK AND BOND MARKET.

Messrs. Lunt, Preston & Kean, quote as follows:

| | Buying. | Selling. |
|---|---|---|
| United States 6s of '81 | 114½ | 115 |
| 5-20s of '62 | 114½ | 114½ |
| 5-20s of '64 | 114½ | 114½ |
| 5-20s of '65 | 114½ | 114½ |
| 5-20s of '65 January and July | 112½ | 114 |
| 5-20s of '65 January and July | 114½ | 115 |
| 5-20s of '67 January and July | 114½ | 114½ |
| 10-40s | | 114½ |
| United States new 5 per cents | 113½ | 114 |
| United States currency 6s | | 114½ |
| Northern Pacific gold 7-30s | | 100 & int. |
| Chicago City 7s | | 100 & int. |
| Cook County 7s | | 100 & int. |
| Illinois county and town 10s | | 91@98 |
| Eastern Exchange | 1-10 prem. | 1-10 prem. |
| Gold | | 110½ |
| Sterling Exchange (Gaze drafts) | 109½@109¾ | 110@110½ |

LATEST.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Money easy at 3 to 5 per cent. Sterling steady. Gold dull and steady at 113½@113¾. Sales from 1 to 4 for carrying. Clearings, about $14,000,000. Governments quiet. Stocks ...ere dull, but firm. Stocks opened at prices slightly lower than last night and by noon had declined from 1 to 3 all around. On second call there was a slight rally. The market closed dull and steady.

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|---|---|---|---|
| Sterling, 9% | | | |
| Governments: | | | |
| Coupon, '81 | 117½ | Coupon, '67 | 115 |
| Coupon, '62 | 114½ | Coupon, '68 | 114½ |
| Coupon, '64 | 114½ | 10-40s | 113½ |
| Coupon, '65 | 114½ | Currency 6s | 119½ |
| New 5s | | | 110½ |
| State bonds: | | | |
| Missouris | 94 | Old Virginias | 45 |
| Old Tennessees | 74½ | Old N. Carolinas | 34 |
| New Tennessees | 75 | New N. Carolinas | 21 |
| New Virginias | 59 | | |
| Stocks: | | | |
| Canton | 95 | St. Paul | 83½ |
| W. U. Telegraph | 73 | Do. preferred | 78 |
| Quicksilver | 42½ | Wabash | 39½ |
| Adams Express | 97 | Do. preferred | 87 |
| Wells, Fargo & Co | 98 | Ft. Wayne | 96 |
| American M. U. | 74 | Terre Haute | 30 |
| United States Ex | 88 | Do. preferred | 49 |
| Pacific Mail | 74 | C. & A | 106½ |
| New York Central | 94½ | Do. preferred | 116 |
| Do. scrip | 91½ | C. & N. | 464 |
| Erie | 57 | C. R. & Q | 96 |
| Do. preferred | 78 | C. R. I. & P | 103 |
| Harlem | 114 | Lake Shore | 92½ |
| Do. preferred | 120 | Indiana Central | 34 |
| Michigan Central | 118 | Illinois Central | 96½ |
| Pittsburgh | 90½ | Union Pac. stocks | 37½ |
| Northwestern | 73 | Do. bonds | 93½ |
| Do. preferred | 90 | Central Pacific 6s | 101 |
| Rhode Island | 111½ | Del., Lack. & West. | 102 |
| N. J. Central | 107½ | Boston, H. & Erie | 71 |

### REAL ESTATE.

Instruments Filed for Record Tuesday, July 9.

CITY PROPERTY.

West Washington st, e of and near Union st, n ...

21x121 ft, dated April 26; consideration, 1,800.

Western av, s e corner of Kinzie st, 2 lots running e to Diller st, dated June 24; consideration, ...

Continuation of above, on s e corner of Oakley ...Kinzie st, running e to Perch st, dated July ...consideration, $4,500.

...ll in John N. Skene's Subdivision of Lots 3 ... n w ¼ Sec 21, 40, 14, dated July 1; consideration, $600.

...33 to 117 in Givins & Gilbert's s 15 acres ... s of s w ¼ Sec 14, 39, 13, dated July 8; ...

...ot in Block 8 in Adam Smith's s ½ n w ¼ of ... ½ of s w ¼ Sec 36, 39, 13, dated July 2; ...

...ot in Block ... dated July 3; consid...

...ot 13 and Lots 1 and 2, of Lots 15 to 16 in Block 4, Magie & Hight's Kinzie st addition, dated May 31; consideration, $4,000.

...ot in Block 2 in Canal Trustees' Subdivision of Block 3 in Canal Trustees' Subdivision of Block 38; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 10, in Block 1, of Stanley's Subdivision of Lots 3 and 4 in Block 2 in Canal Trustees' Subdivision of Block 38, dated May 14; consideration, $1,000.

Westerly ½ of Section 6, South Town 39 N of R 14 E, ...to alley, dated June 17; consideration, $1,000.

...ot 1 in Block 2 of Block 3, except Lots 26, 27, ...and 29, in Sec 7, 39, 14, dated May 13; consideration, $4,000.

North av, w ½ of s ½ of Section 31, 40, 13, dated June 15; consideration, $1,000.

Lots 51 and 52, in Block 20, Sheffield's Addition, dated July 8; consideration, $1,000.

Main st, between Thirty-first and Wrong st, s w ... 109 ft to alley, dated July 1; consideration, $1,...

Park av, between Oakley and Leavitt sts, n ½ of ... ft to alley, with buildings, dated May 15; consideration, $7,000.

South Water st, between Franklin and Lafayette, ... 100 ft to river, dated March 9; consideration, $40,000.

North av, 12 ft s of Oakley st, s ½, 24x120 ft, and ... dated June 17; consideration, $600.

North av, 40 ft e of Oakley st, s ½, 24x120 ft, ... dated June 17; consideration, $600.

Lot 19, in Mason's Loss 3 and 6, of s ½ w ¼ Sec 21, 40, 14, dated June 17; consideration, $700.

Lot 11, in same, dated June 17; consideration, $700.

Lot 23, in Block 7, of e ½ s w ¼ Sec 6, 39, 14, dated May 14; consideration, $500.

Boalwell st, 66 ft e of Hanover st, n ½, 50x125 ft, dated June 15; consideration, $1,000.

Lot 14, in Block 5, of Huntley's Lots 3 to 21 etc., in Pine Grove, dated July 1; consideration, $1,...

LOTS OF CITY LIMITS.

Thomas av, 200 ft n of Fletcher st, w ½, 66x124 ft, dated June 15; consideration, $400.

Lots 1 and 2, in McCarthy's Lot 1, in Rosemeyer's ½ of Lot 6, in Sec 16, 38, 14, dated April 26; consideration, $4,000.

Lots 11 and 12, in subdivision of S ½ W ¼ of S ½ of S ½ of W ¼ Sec 4, 38, 14, dated May 1; consideration, $1,200.

Lots 16 and 17 and e ½ of Lot 18, in Block 3, of Nichols & McKinley's Subdivision of Lot 2, in Sullivan, in Sec 16, 38, 14, dated June 10; consideration, $1,200.

24x80 ft, w ½ on Butterfield st, in Block 1, of Cox's Lots 1 to 5 in Sec 4, 38, 14, dated July 9; consideration, $800.

WEST OF CITY LIMITS.

N ½ s ½ w ¼ of n w ¼ Sec 31, 39, 13, dated June 19; consideration, $5,000.

Lots 9 and 10, in Block 2, in Castle's n w ¼ of s ½ Sec 3, 39, 13, dated June 22; consideration, $800.

E 30 ft of Lot 19, in same, dated July 2; consideration, $600.

Lots 9 and 10, in same, dated June 25; consideration, $600.

## COMMERCIAL.

TUESDAY EVENING, July 9.

The following were the receipts and shipments for the past twenty-four hours:

| | Received. | | Shipped. | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 1872. | 1871. | 1872. | 1871. |
| Flour, brls | 3,545 | 8,750 | 1,400 | 3,300 |
| Wheat, bu | 10,946 | 91,970 | 600 | 69,188 |
| Corn, bu | 344,415 | 216,818 | 126,713 | 226,347 |
| Oats, bu | 175,631 | 176,000 | 29,000 | 18,000 |
| Rye, bu | | 8,760 | | 367 |
| Barley, bu | 1,610 | 465 | 969 | |
| Grass seed, lbs | 3,200 | | | |
| Flax seed, lbs | | | | |
| Broom corn, lbs | 32,783 | 36,230 | 11,600 | 8,180 |
| Dried meats, lbs | 10,780 | 11,760 | 189,200 | 93,170 |
| Beef, brls | | | | |
| Pork, brls | | | | 44 |
| Lard, brls | 5,200 | 6,400 | 98,912 | 39,000 |
| Tallow, lbs | 13,200 | 3,600 | 20,000 | |
| Butter, lbs | 69,420 | 104,670 | 56,920 | 83,276 |
| Live hogs, No | 8,200 | 4,745 | 2,700 | 2,854 |
| Cattle, No | 3,443 | 2,230 | 1,207 | 2,029 |
| Sheep, No | 2,150 | 486 | | |
| Hides, lbs | 84,370 | 121,975 | 90,470 | 97,200 |
| Highwines, brls | 1,200 | 1,800 | 64 | |
| Wool, lbs | 118,000 | 270,200 | 111,522 | 193,136 |
| Whiskey, bu | 1,040 | 2,116 | | |
| Lumber, m | 7,382 | 9,917 | 2,870 | 1,594 |
| Shingles, m | 4,137 | 3,316 | 1,112 | 1,652 |
| Salt, brls | 53 | 1,116 | 1,274 | 1,000 |
| Salt, bulk | 2,200 | 4,818 | 1,284 | 2,999 |

Withdrawn from store yesterday for city consumption: 1,321 bu wheat; 1,938 bu corn; 5,717 bu oats.

The following grain has been inspected into store this morning up to 10 o'clock: 26 cars wheat, 508 cars and 35 200 bu corn, 23 cars oats. Total (557 cars), 261,000 bu.

The leading produce markets were more active to-day, and generally firm, with no important changes, excepting wheat and freights. Our receipts of grain were smaller, and operators are inclined to think that they will be small now for some time to come, as the farmers are too busy in the fields to make large grain deliveries. There was but slight change in the general features of the grocery market. The activity noticeable for some time past in the demand for the leading staples has in no measure abated, and prices are uniformly firm, notably so for coffees and sugars. An advance of 1-8c in refined sugars was the only quotable change in values. In the market for dry goods only a moderate amount of trading was done. The demand was of a miscellaneous character, and mainly in the shape of small orders to make up assortments. Prices ruled steady and firm for seasonable [illegible]. The market has a firmer tone to the butter market. The receipts are falling off, and choice grades now find buyers at prices 1@2c per lb higher than were current last week. 15@15c being freely paid. Cheese continues dull and weak. There is but a light demand at this season of the year, and the offerings are in excess of the requirements of the trade. The egg trade was more active, and hard varieties were firm at the advance established yesterday, or at $@20@20 for Ohio, and at $@18@18 for Lake-shore. Provision receipts continue light, and the market ruled steady to firm, with a moderate business doing. Mess pork opened 10c per brl higher, but soon fell off under free offerings, joined to the report that a leading firm is offering to lend all the pork required to fill the short contracts on the July option. Some parties who have hitherto bought for July, were selling for August to-day. Our market was probably influenced to some extent by Cincinnati, where they are running the corner very successfully, and expect to squeeze the shorts on about $17.00 per brl. The price there today is $14.50, but it is understood that buyers are making the rather extreme discount of $2.00 per brl to parties who buy pork for shipment. Lard was inactive but nominally steady. Meats were quiet, but firm at full previous prices, with a continued good demand for hams. The market closed at the following range of quotations: Mess pork, cash or seller July, $13.10@13.12½; do, seller August, $13.17 1-2; do seller September, $13.75@13.80; do seller December, nominal; do, seller the year, $12.00. Lard, cash or seller July, $8.85; summer lard $7.75@7.80. Dry salted meats, 4 7-8@5c for shoulders, and 6 1-2@6 5-8c for short ribs; no short clear offered. Boxed meats 1-4@3-8c higher than the above quotations for loose. Summer shoulders, 6 1-4@6 1-2c; do long clear, 7c; do. Stretfords, 7 1-4c. Sweet pickled hams, 11@12c for winter, and 9 1-2@10 1-4c for summer. Bacon quoted at 5 3-4@6c for shoulders; 7 7-8@8 3-4c for short ribs; 8c for clear; 11 1-2@13c for hams, all packed. Mess beef, $9.00; extra mess beef, $10.00. Beef hams, $25.00. City tallow, 8 1-4@8 1-2c. Sales were reported of 1,000 brls mess pork, cash or seller the month, at $13.20; 1,500 brls do at $13.17 1-2; 65 brls do at $13.15; 1,000 brls do at $13.12 1-2; 2,000 brls do, seller August, at $13.25; 250 brls do at $13.17 1-2; 1,000 brls do at $13.15; 30,000 lbs summer cured shoulders at 6 1-2; 1,000 lbs green hams at 6 1-4; 30,000 lbs choice bacon hams at 13 1-2, packed.

Flour was in better inquiry on choice grades, both of winter and spring extras, but dull otherwise. Quotations were unchanged. Sales were reported of 100 brls white winter extras at $10.35; 200 brls do at [illegible] Consaporez) at $[illegible]; 100 brls do at $7.65@7.75; 100 brls do [illegible]; 100 brls do [illegible]. Total, 1,250 brls. Also, 150 sacks bran at $11.50, and 30 tons do at $11.95, both on track; 10 tons middlings at $16.00 on track; and 100 brls buckwheat corn meal at $3.50. Closing prices were as follows:

| | |
|---|---|
| Fair to choice white winter extras | $ 8.00@10.25 |
| Red winter extras | 7.50@ 8.00 |
| Good to choice spring extras | 6.00@ 7.50 |
| Low to fancy spring superfines | 5.00@ 6.00 |
| Good to fancy Minnesota | 7.00@ 8.00 |
| Spring superfines | 3.50@ 4.25 |
| Rye flour | 4.00@ 4.25 |
| Bran | 12.00@ 13.00 |
| Middlings | 15.00@17.00 |
| Corn Meal, bltn dried | 3.00@ 4.25 |
| Corn meal, coarse country | 16.00@17.00 |

Wheat was more active, and averaged 3c to 3½c higher, under news of greater firmness in Liverpool and a somewhat better feeling in New York, joined to light receipts here, and the news that the stock of wheat in Liverpool is but about one half of the amount there at this time in 1871. The feeling was very strong on the latter view of these things, and the short interest gained considerably, while several bets were entered that August wheat will sell to $1.25 before the close of this month. There were very few country orders here, but the local shorts were active, though the demand was not equal to the supply, as the market ruled weak towards the end of the session. Seller August, the principal option dealt in, sold at $1.18@1.18½, advanced to $1.20@1.21, declined to $1.18, improved to $1.20, and closed to $1.18 at the close. Seller September sold at $1.20@1.21, declining with the August, and closing at $1.20. Seller the year at $1.24 1-8@1.24 3-8; and seller the year at $1.20@1.20½. No. 3 spring was very dull, with two or three sellers and no buyers. Cash was quoted nominal at $1.10@1.12. No. 4 spring at $1.03@1.04; 3,000 bu do at $1.25 1-2; 5,000 bu do at $1.25; 15,000 bu do at $1.24 3-4; 20,000 bu do at $1.24 1-2; and 5,000 bu do at $1.24 1-4. Rejected improved to $1.20, and closed to $1.18 at the close. Seller July sold at $1.20@1.21, declined to $1.18 at the close, and closed at $1.20. Seller August sold at $1.24 1-8@1.24 3-8, declining with the August, and closing

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### SENATOR TRUMBULL.

The New York *Times* publishes three columns of malignant assault upon Senator Lyman Trumbull, accusing him of a variety of personal and official crimes. It is unfortunate for the New York *Times* that Mr. Trumbull is not a candidate for President, and that there is a long list of unanswered and unexplained accusations against General Grant and his Administration, to which the people would like that paper, or any other organ of the Administration, to address itself.

The charge of official corruption against Senator Trumbull is rather insinuated than made. There is much of malicious suggestion, but little of direct accusation; the whole article is very much like the slander of the filthy scoundrel who takes revenge upon the woman he could not corrupt by insinuating that she is in fact the foul being he would have made her. When the *Times* ventures upon direct accusation, the notorious facts of history give a flat contradiction. Thus the first complaint made is thus stated:

> He climbed into the United States Senate over the Constitution of his State. The Constitution of Illinois, declares "The Judges of the Supreme and Circuit Courts shall not be eligible to any other office or public trust of profit in this State, or the United States, during the term for which they are elected." Trumbull rose up and defied that. All votes for either of them, for any elective office, except that of Judge of the Supreme or Circuit Court, given by the General Assembly, shall be void."

Mr. Trumbull was elected Judge, June 7, 1852, and resigned upon the bench, and was not inaugurated till June 27, 1841; yet. Ineligible as he was, by efforts of his own and of his friends, he procured a meeting of the men in the Legislature to be cast for him, during this judicial term, and then he overrode the Constitution of his State by running Abolition to the Senate. Money was used in his behalf to carry the election of legislators whose vote elected him to the Senate, particularly one well known Democrat, whose instance, and, unless belied by those who know him best, scruples about means to party ends are not a strong point of weakness. His brother-in-law, William Jayne, was elected, or counted into, the Legislature of Illinois in 1861, not without the use of money, raised in part by appeals made by behalf of Mr. Trumbull in other States; and Mr. Jayne's vote gave the Republicans a majority of

The man who wrote the above permitted his malice to expose his ignorance. In the first place, Mr. Trumbull was elected Senator in February, 1855, for the term commencing in the March following. Mr. Jayne was not a member of the Legislature at that time. Mr. Lincoln was the Whig nominee. Some of the members who had been elected as Democrats refused to vote for Mr. Lincoln, and voted for Trumbull, who had already been elected to the House of Representatives. The Whigs came over to the latter and elected Trumbull. There never was the least suspicion that one dollar of money was ever used to accomplish that election. In 1861, the Legislature was Republican in both branches, and there was no opposition of any serious kind to Mr. Trumbull, who was unanimously nominated by the Republicans and elected. Not a dollar was expended on that occasion, there being no opposition to Trumbull.

In 1867, the opposing candidates for the nomination by the Legislative caucus were General Oglesby, General Logan, and General Palmer. The opposition was weak. Before the caucus, Logan and Oglesby withdrew, and General Palmer (now Governor), who was only nominally a candidate, received the small vote of the opposition to Trumbull, who was for the third time elected to the Senate by the Republicans of Illinois. At neither the second nor third election was there any opposition requiring any effort by Mr. Trumbull or his friends to overcome. The office was conceded to him because of his great ability, his eminent services, and because of the purity of his personal and official character. These are the facts concerning Mr. Trumbull's several elections; and the intimation that money or corrupt means were ever employed to effect them will be resented as a cowardly slander by every honest man in Illinois.

The accusation that "he climbed into the Senate over the Constitution of his State," is hardly worthy of notice. The provision in the Illinois Constitution which attempted to fix qualifications or disqualifications to the office of Representatives in Congress, or Senators, was one of those absurdities which all men knew to be void, because in conflict with the Constitution of the United States. That question had been settled by repeated decisions in Congress; no State had power to add to or take from the qualifications of Senators or Representatives in Congress. Though no two persons were more bitterly opposed to each other than Trumbull and Douglas, the latter defended the election of the former, and a hostile Senate refused to give the least consideration to the objection to Trumbull's election. This criticism, which was offensively stale eighteen years ago, is now reproduced to fill out an indictment against Mr. Trumbull.

The accusation that Mr. Trumbull, immediately upon Grant's election, became a persistent office-seeker, and that, because Grant would not appoint all those recommended by him, he turned against the President, lacks the essential of truth, and is further crippled by the fact that its falsity has already been exposed by the official record. Mr. Morton, of Indiana, made the same charge in the Senate, and threatened to produce a list of Trumbull's recommendations. Trumbull met the charge by procuring, from all the Departments, a copy of every recommendation he had made. The record showed the falsity of the statement, and Morton mentioned it no more, leaving it to less scrupulous libellers to repeat the story.

It has not been many months since the New York *Times* indulged in a like tirade against Mr. Schurz, and subsequently was forced to retract its slanders. It now tries the same disgraceful proceeding upon Trumbull.

The candidates for President are Horace Greeley and U. S. Grant. Mr. Sumner has presented, upon his responsibility as a Senator, the record of the incompetency, ignorance, and corruption of Grant's Administration. Let the New York *Times* address itself to meet these charges. It cannot defend Grant by calling Trumbull names. It cannot defend Grant by abusing Schurz. It cannot do anything that is either honorable or manly by publishing accusations that are destitute of truth.

### MR. SUMNER'S ELECTORAL AMENDMENT.

We have repeatedly referred to the complete failure of that part of our Federal Constitution relating to the election of President, to meet the intent of its framers. They intended that the Electoral College in each State should be a deliberative assemblage, which should come together to consult and cast its votes for whomsoever it should deem the fittest man for President. Instead of this, its meeting is a mere matter of form. The choice of President is made by the people directly, between two or more candidates, and is narrowed down to these by the acts and manipulations of as many conventions. These conventions are outside of all law, and are unofficial and irresponsible. Having made their nominations, the Presidential Electors chosen by the people are deemed in honor pledged to vote for the candidates so named, and do so as mechanically as so many automatons. In lieu of this costly and indirect machinery, Mr. Sumner proposes, by Constitutional amendment, to adopt a mode of both nominating and electing the President directly by the people.

The proposed amendment provides that the first election shall be held on the first Monday in April, and that Congress shall sit on the third Monday in May to count the votes. The people of all the States shall vote directly, without regard to State lines or Congressional Districts, for whom they please, and the candidate receiving the majority of the whole popular vote shall be declared elected. This cuts entirely clear of the Presidential Electors, of State lines, and of the District system. No machinery whatever intervenes between the people and their choice, and, on the other hand, the separate integrity of the States is sacrificed at the shrine of universal suffrage.

If none of the candidates thus voted for shall have received the majority of the popular vote, then this first election serves merely the function of the present nominating conventions, viz.: to narrow down the choice of candidates. But it serves that purpose far better, as it is the work of the whole people themselves, and not like conventions, which, too often, are managed by politicians for selfish purposes. In the case above cited, no candidate having received a majority, another election will take place on the second Tuesday of the next succeeding October, at which citizens will vote for one of the three persons who shall have received the highest number of votes at the election in April. The candidate receiving the highest number of votes at this second election shall be declared President. This avoids the possibility of a failure of the people to make a direct choice, and the inconveniences now resulting from throwing the election into the House of Representatives. Prior to this second election, the preferences of parties as to candidates will have become known, and a choice of President directly by the people will, it is expected, be as certain thereat as his nomination by the people was at the previous election. Increasingly popular as to become the votes of a majority of the people at the April election. In such case, of course, no further voting will be necessary.

Mr. Sumner's amendment also abolishes the office of Vice President, and provides that, in case of a Presidential vacancy, the senior officer of the Cabinet shall be acting President until Congress can hold a special session and elect a President for the remainder of the unexpired term.

The count of so vast a vote directly by Congress is a physical impossibility. It would have to be subdivided and apportioned among various Committees, who would work in secret, and the easy possibility of frauds in counting would prevent this feature from inspiring confidence. Our present system, of having the count made up by precinct, town, county, and State officers, seems to us one that could not be abandoned on any terms.

There will be many who would prefer that the States should still continue to vote for President separately, though direct popular suffrage should determine on which side the vote should be cast. The people of Vermont, Connecticut, Illinois, and other honest States, would not like to see the vote of their State neutralized and swamped by frauds in other States. The temptation to frauds would be greatly increased if every fraud committed would tell not merely on the vote of a State, but on the aggregate result.

In this respect it is well to refer to the plan reported by Vice President Calhoun's Committee, in 1838, for abolishing the Electoral College and electing a President by direct popular vote. By that plan, the people in each Congressional District, voting directly for the Presidential candidates, would be counted as one Electoral vote for the ticket receiving a majority, and the aggregate State vote would count two Electoral votes to the candidates receiving the majority of them. This plan would render the inducement to ballot-stuffing and fraud much less than it is under the present system. For, now, ballot-stuffing in the large cities overslaughs the honest vote of the rural districts of the State, to a great extent. If the frauds could only affect the vote of a single district, the inducement to them in many cases would disappear altogether. Experience teaches that no mode of lessening crime is so effective as to remove the temptation.

### ST. LOUIS AS A RAILROAD CENTRE.

St. Louis has at last made the discovery that she is a great railroad centre, and, in proof of this fact, the *Republican* of that city triumphantly points to twenty-seven railroads which are tributary to it. Among these twenty-seven roads are the following: Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne; Jackson, Lansing & Saginaw; Michigan Central; Pennsylvania Central; Marietta & Cincinnati; Indianapolis Junction; Michigan Southern & Lake Shore; Cleveland, Columbus & Indianapolis Central; Cincinnati, Lafayette & Indianapolis; and Toledo, Wabash & Western. After the exploits of St. Louis in census-manufacturing, we are not surprised at this modest appropriation of other people's railroads, but we are surprised that the *Republican* has overlooked the Pan-Handle, Boston & Maine, Vermont Central, Ohio & Mississippi, Saugus Centre, Fitchburg & Lowell, and the State and Madison street lines of horse-cars in Chicago, all of which are tributary to St. Louis in the same sense as the roads enumerated. There are also roads which run in States contiguous to Missouri, connecting with Chicago lines, these in turn connecting with lines to the ocean steamers, these with Continental roads, and these with mule-trains in Tartary and caravans on the Great Desert, all of which might have been claimed by St. Louis. There are also steamboat lines in South America and dog-trains in Greenland, and scores of banks and thousands of business houses in Chicago and other cities which have to supply St. Louis with money and produce to keep her alive, that have been neglected in her tributary category. St. Louis is too modest by half. Considering her immense advantages, however, and the tributary opportunities she enjoys, it will strike an unprejudiced observer either that she is making a very poor show of business with such remarkable facilities, or else that these numerous roads, like the Levite, pass on the other side, without benefiting her in the least.

### THE STOKES CASE.

The testimony which was developed in the Stokes murder case, on Monday, has given it a new and unexpected phase, and puts an entirely different aspect upon it. If this testimony is not rebutted by the prosecution, Mr. Stokes stands a reasonable show of escaping with his life, if not of securing an acquittal. Mr. Stokes testified that, for over a year, he had been in danger of assassination, and that Erie Railroad detectives had constantly dogged his footsteps, and followed him about the city in all his goings and comings; and this point was partly corroborated by the testimony of Mr. Shanks, an attaché of the New York *Tribune*. This feeling of danger arose from threats of personal assault, which had been freely expressed by Fisk to Mansfield and others. Mr. Stokes further testified that, on the day Fisk was shot, he was passing the Grand Central Hotel, and, thinking that he observed a lady acquaintance at the window, he stepped into the hotel to see her. Finding he was mistaken, he was going down the stairs, when he met Fisk, who drew a silver-plated pistol, and that he then drew his own pistol, and shot him in self-defence. The Mansfield's testimony is indirectly corroboratory of this. She swore positively that Fisk had on several occasions told her he would kill Stokes, unless she resumed her relations with him; that his manner was very nervous and excited; and that, on one day, he told her blood had got to be drawn. On each of these occasions Fisk showed her a pistol, which corresponded in its appearance with the one Stokes alleges he drew when they met in the hotel.

Of course, there is much allowance to be made for such testimony when the character of the two witnesses is considered. Stokes was testifying in his own behalf in a case upon the issue of which his life depends. Furthermore, he was testifying concerning an assault the only witnesses to which were himself and his victim, and the latter can make no reply. The jury, if they be honest men, will weigh these statements carefully, and compare them with the other statements which he has made in his garrulous moments. The testimony of Mansfield is to be received still more cautiously. She is a notorious woman of the world, whose life has been devoted to financial and amatory intrigue. She had used Fisk for purposes of blackmail, until a more pliable victim turned up, and then deserted him for the latter, and when Fisk, enraged at his desertion, and at the fact that he had been supplanted in the affections of his mistress by a creature of his own making, sought, by alternate threatening and imploring, to reinstate himself, her feelings of indifference grew into hatred. The testimony of such a woman, who alone was the cause of the difficulty between the two men, and but for whom Fisk would have been alive to-day, in all probability, is comparatively of very little account except as corroborative of honest and unprejudiced. The strongest point that can be urged in support of her testimony is afforded by Fisk's own character. What she alleges Fisk did, it is highly probable Fisk would do. Fisk was notoriously a braggart and a coward. His reckless course of life was constantly making enemies, and, if he knew anything, he must have known that, sooner or later, some one, in a fit of desperation, would take revenge into his own hands. It was entirely natural, therefore, that, being a coward, he should carry a pistol. Being likewise a blustering braggart, it was equally natural that he should seek to terrify Mansfield by threats and bombastic talk about blood and grave-yards, and melodramatic exhibitions of his ivory-handled and silver-plated pistol. It is not probable, however, that a man who knew Fisk as well as Stokes did would ever feel any apprehensions of personal danger. Men who intend to commit personal assault with the determination to kill, keep their own secret, and do not go about announcing their intentions to every one they meet, in a noisy, blustering manner. It is extremely doubtful, therefore, whether Fisk's threats and pistol-shows ever meant anything more than intimidation, and if Fisk, as Stokes alleges, drew his pistol on the hotel-stairs, it is more than probable that he did so because he met Stokes alone and unexpectedly, and was afraid of personal violence himself. Remembering how Fisk acted all through his public life, the idea that he would shoot any one or seek to injure any one except by low cunning and financial intrigue, which did not, in his own estimation, expose him to present danger, seems utterly ridiculous.

Whatever value may be attached to the testimony of Stokes and Mansfield, it at least disposes of the plea of insanity and a dozen other ingenious resorts which his counsel have sought to bring forward with the hope of prejudicing the case and saving their client. After such testimony the question of Stokes' sanity is no longer in doubt. The case must now be decided upon its merits. It is, of course, impossible to predicate what verdict the jury will return; but, in view of the character of Fisk, the indifference of the public to his memory, the length of time which has elapsed since the murder was committed, and the new and unexpected testimony which has been developed, Stokes' prospects for acquittal begin to assume an appearance of certainty.

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The election of the Hon. P. H. Watson to the Presidency of the Erie Railroad Company is a sign of healthful reform. Mr. Watson is a railroad man, and not a railroad intriguer. He is a gentleman of great business habits and large practical experience. He was selected, because of his great business qualities and his mastership of detail, by Mr. Stanton as Assistant Secretary of War, in 1862, and served until compelled, by physical prostration, to resign, in 1864. His services were invaluable to the Government. He is well known to the railroad interests of the United States, and it is possible that, with his energy and thoroughness, he may rescue the Erie from the countless troubles of all kinds in which it is now and has been so long involved.

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The Illinois delegation at Baltimore made short work in the matter of deposing the editor of the Chicago *Times* from the National Committee. The feeling on this subject was so strong that even Mr. Coolbaugh, anti-Greeley as he is supposed to be, moved, and the delegation unanimously elected, Mr. Cyrus H. McCormick as the Illinois representative on that Committee.

In the list of persons participating in the Bolting Convention at Baltimore, one of the editors of the Chicago *Times*—representing that paper at Baltimore during the disability of the proprietor—is prominently named.

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Mr. Rosewater, editor of the Omaha *Republican*, publishes the following despatches, double leaded, but without a word of comment:

OMAHA, July 4.

*To His Excellency, U. S. Grant, President of the United States, Long Branch:*

Great indignation prevails here at the appointment of Casper E. Yost as Postmaster. Yost's disgraceful conduct last winter has already lost you many friends, and this unlooked-for appointment endangers the success of our State and Presidential tickets. I am supporting Grant and Wilson with my daily and weekly newspaper. Somebody must shoulder the responsibility. Upon whose recommendation was this appointment made?

E. ROSEWATER.

LONG BRANCH, N. J., July 5.

Mr. Yost was appointed entirely upon the recommendation of Ben Alter Hitchcock.

U. S. GRANT, President.

OMAHA, July 4.

*J. A. J. Cresswell, Postmaster General, Washington:*

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WASHINGTON, July 5.

Mr. Yost was appointed by order of the President, vice Joel T. Griffin, resigned.

JAMES H. MARR,
Acting First Assistant.

It is not many weeks since Grant issued his humorous proclamation, declaring that "honesty and efficiency, and not political activity," would thenceforth determine the tenure of office. He has kept all the secondaries in office that were in them, and has appointed a new lot, turning honest and efficient men out in order to create vacancies. We know nothing of Mr. Casper E. Yost, and it matters not that Grant manages to throw the responsibility of his appointment on Senator Hitchcock's wandolers. It is plain that the Civil Service Reform has once more been ignored by the man who boasts his eagerness to enforce it. It is equally plain that, if Mr. Yost's appointment really endangers the success of Grantism in Nebraska, he will be speedily removed, no matter how honest and efficient he may be.

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When Mr. Thomas Mooney becomes Autocrat of Great Britain, he intends to pass fourteen laws, which will destroy, instantly, the accumulated wrongs of centuries. The Nation is to "appropriate" (which is a Mooneyism for "steal") all land. The victims of this robbery are to receive life-annuities. This land thus obtained is to be sold to actual occupants. No one shall have more than twenty acres, and no one shall rent any part of this. Paper currency to the amount of £500,000,000 is to be issued by the Government. Suffrage is to be universal. All men are to serve in the militia. Railways must carry "laborers" free, in or out of cities, anywhere within a radius of ten miles. Titles of nobility, coats of armor, liveries, cockades, etc., are to be done away with. Co-operation is to be fostered by Government aid. In order to insure ignorant legislation, no laws are to be debated in Parliament without having been first passed by a general popular vote. Finally, if any one, living under such beneficent rules, is foolish and wicked enough to die, all his property is to revert to the State. The reader will have noticed that existing wrongs are to be righted by perpetuating worse ones. This, however, is a common characteristic of all these Mooney schemes.

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There is probably some prejudiced man, in some rural hamlet, whose reading embraces only the Bible and some Administration journal, and who believes in both with equal faith. It is curious to think how absurdly wrong that man's ideas must be. He thinks that Grant is a pure patriot—the choice of all true Republicans for our next President. He thinks that he has paid off a good part of the National debt by his own statesmanship; that he is now suppressing an active rebellion; that he has managed the Alabama claims sagaciously; and that he drinks for his health only, pure liquors mixed by Mrs. Grant. This person believes that Sumner and Schurz, and Greeley, and Trumbull are "traitors," and that Bosler, and Cameron, and Conkling, and Clayton are "true blues." He believes that the carpet-baggers are honest, honorable citizens. He believes that Casey, and Leet, and Chandler, and Kellogg are upright patriots. He thinks that Grant is not surrounded with gamblers, and intriguers, and dishonest wire-pullers. Last, crowning folly of all, he believes that the party of hate will re-elect Grant next November. Horace Greeley's triumph will be a sad shock to all these fond delusions.

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Mr. Jonathan Scammon says that Wendell Phillips said:

> No negro can vote for Greeley who values his life or property, or cares for his race. If, by a fraud of Democrats, he is elected, I shall advise every Southern loyalist to load his carpet-bag that Grant's arrest of North Carolina Ku-Klux has allowed to be laid aside. If he is elected, let the negroes live in squads of fifty, where no one act will dare shoot down, and show no property after sunset. Lonely men will be shot, and no black man will own a mule forty-eight hours if any Rebel knows the fact.

As there is no proof whatever that Mr Phillips is responsible for this bosh, we incline to give him the benefit of the doubt. His last authentic utterance was a declaration that he knew not whether to support Grant or Greeley. The organs must be nearly played-out when they are obliged to use arguments like the one we have quoted. They will inevitably disgust and drive out of Grantism more men than they will scare and drive in.

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In a late speech in London, Odger, the Radical Republican, gave some striking facts and figures in regard to the progress of Trades-Unions. Thus, he said that the Engineers' Union, of Newcastle, has one hundred and forty thousand pounds in its treasury, and proposes to use this fund in building a magnificent Trades-Union Hall in the centre of London. This, by giving a local habitation and rallying-point to the labor-agitators, would do much to dignify their cause. Thought that shapes itself into brick and stone generally endures and makes itself felt outside its own walls. M. D. Conway prophesies that the new hall will be a strong rival to Westminster Hall itself, and that it may even be "regarded as the Parliament Hall of the future." But Mr. Conway is a Radical himself, and his fellow-feeling is apt to make him woundrous kind to his own side and unfair to the other.

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If the Chicago *Times* has been unhappy and lugubrious over the results of the Cincinnati Convention, the English language will not be able to supply words to fitly express its grief over the results of the Baltimore Convention. It has been unceremoniously ejected from the house of its friends; the proxy of its editor has been returned as worthless; his place on the Democratic Central Committee has been voted to another; and his journalistic representative has gone off with a handful of bolters, howling like the Banshee among the rafters. The unanimity of the impression among the recent friends of the *Times*, that they can get along without its support, is truly hard; but we have no doubt that the *Times* will find consolations in that religion of which it boasts to be the exponent and representative.

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Mr. William Cullen Bryant has issued a slightly-pompous manifesto to the people of the United States. He confides to them that it is impossible that he should receive any formal nomination to the Presidency, and equally impossible that he should accept one if tendered. Both these statements are unimportant and true. We see no necessity for this uncalled-for personal explanation. Mr. Bryant, as a cultured gentleman, as a poet, or as a political ally, would be gladly welcomed anywhere; but Mr. Bryant's movements are, nevertheless, not watched with such breathless popular anxiety as to call for a pronunciamento like the card in question.

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If Dr. Livingstone has not discovered the sources of the Nile, he has at least found a fly which is quite as wonderful as the mystical fountains he is in search of. This insect, the tsetse, is said to be about the size of our common horse-fly. Its sting, three times repeated, will kill the largest ox. The victim becomes blinded and bloated, and its agonies speedily end in convulsions and death. This destructive pest is fastidious in its selection of food. It confines itself almost entirely to the horse, ox, sheep, and dog. The pig, mule, ass, and goat go unharmed, and man is rarely, if ever, attacked. This curious story would be quite important, if true; but it is doubtless an egregious lie from beginning to end.

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The New York *Times* has been loud in accusing Horace Greeley of being leagued with Tammany. When we demanded proof of the charge, the *Times* was driven to the wretched expedient of publishing a list of incorporators of a manufacturing company, in which, among many reputable and disreputable names, appear those of Greeley and of Tweed. Having thus confessed its inability to prove its slanders, the *Times* has since been comparatively silent on this point. Nearly two weeks since, the *Nation* took up the cry, and accused Greeley, in italicised sentences, of making deliberate bargains with Tammany thieves. No journal has a right to print such a statement without giving at least *prima facie* proof thereof. This the *Nation* has not attempted to do.

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An act of Congress passed June 30, 1864, declares: "And all bonds and Treasury notes, and other obligations of the United States, shall be exempted from taxation by State or municipal authority." The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that this act refers to greenbacks as well as bonds. If any persons have heretofore listed their Federal currency for taxation, they will do well to notice that it is exempt, and that they can save their money.

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The Hon. J. D. Murphy, of Wood stock McHenry County, Ill., who is at present Judge in the Boone, DeKalb, and McHenry Circuit, is strongly urged by many friends as a most acceptable candidate for Congress, to be nominated by the joint Liberal Convention at Elgin. He has been repeatedly connected for Congress, but the skilful managers of "regular nominations" have never given the people a chance to vote for him.

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Senator West, of Louisiana, says that General Longstreet is "a relative or connection of a part of the President's family." We always wondered why Longstreet got his office.

### POLITICAL.

The nomination for Attorney General, vice Lawrence Weldon, declined, on the Liberal State Ticket, will be made at the meeting of the two Committees, in this city, July 18. A writer in the Galesburg *Republican* suggests the name of Frank S. Murphy, of Galesburg.

In the Fifteenth Congressional District of Illinois, Democratic by 3,500 in 1868, and now good for 6,000, Messrs. James C. Allen, George R. Wendling, Thomas Brower, and L. S. Whitehead are on the stump, and the Effingham *Register*, a Greely Republican paper, says:

> —During the past week, the Hon. J. C. Allen has been making speeches at different places in his Congressional District, with a view to improve his chances for a Congressional nomination. Without considering them in this light, or meddling as between the rival Democratic aspirants, we may be permitted to say that we believe they have done much good in giving his hearers a clearer understanding of the facts and circumstances that surround this Presidential canvas, and this is an important advantage. What the Republicans of this district need, is to satisfy them that they mean Economy and Reform more than they want to beat Grant.

—A gentleman who voted for Grant in 1868 was present to hear Gen. Banquer, of Ohio, speak in Geneseo last Saturday evening, and he says the speech was a very dull and lifeless affair, and about as good a Greeley as Grant speech. Henderson holds an office under Grant, but it is suspected that his sympathies are with Greeley.—*Rock Island (Ill.) Argus.*

☞The Springfield *Republican* reports that Greeley's strength in Massachusetts is already most developed in the rural towns west of Worcester.

—The St. Louis *Democrat* ridicules the report of a Michigan clergyman, that six Republicans among his people are going to vote for Greeley. Suppose the editor applies a little arithmetic and logic to the report of that one Michigan pariah; would it then be insignificant?

There must be a Liberal Republican or two prowling around in Ripley County, Ind., if an incident related to us is true. It is told that, at the recent County Convention, a resolution was introduced, after the nominations had been made, endorsing Gratz Brown. A faithful Postmaster remonstrated, and moved to amend by substituting the names of Grant and Wilson. When the motion was put, the loyal vote, that of the Methodist Episcopal Minister, P. M.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

—Friend D. S. Burson, of Richmond, Ind., says:

> At our little Spring Grove settlement, containing 39 Republican votes, 24 for Greeley, 6 scattering or doubtful and 9 for Grant. This state of things gives us courage. The Quakers and Temperance people are all for Greeley. At Dublin, in like county, there are 30 Republican votes. After Baltimore we shall get up several Greeley clubs there.

—The Cincinnati *Gazette* (Dem. Richard Smith's paper) is horrified at a report from Indiana which couples the name of Wash. C. De Pauw with "an arrangement to draw Methodist support from the Republicans." And why not? Draw Methodist support as well as the support of other good citizens? The Methodists are not owned in fee simple by Grant, and Harlan, and Charley Farwell.

It is currently reported that Hon. Charles Mellrath, State Auditor of Minnesota has declared for Greeley and Brown.—*Chatfield Democrat.*

—A Greeley Club at Winnebago City, Minnesota, numbered at last accounts nearly forty Republican voters, and the *Press*, although supporting Grant, speaks of them as "old settlers and well-known citizens."

—The Republican majority on the popular vote at the late Oregon election was 846 in a total of 25,500. In the Legislature the Republicans have chosen 2 majority of the Senate and 15 of the House. The total vote has increased 2,500 over 1870, which is at a much greater ratio than usual, and gives some strength to the assertions of the defeated party that Ben Holladay increased his force of railroad laborers very heavily by importations from California only a little while before the election, and voted them the Republican ticket, under Attorney General Williams, who went out from Washington to manage this little election. Holladay has only become a Republican since Grant has been one; he holds valuable land grants from Congress for his road, and he has also invested some of his loose money in the San Domingo scheme. With him, politics is business.—*Springfield Republican.*

—A letter from Lansing, Allamakee County, Iowa, in the Dubuque *Telegraph*, says:

> Greeley men are numerous in this city. Among them you can number nearly all of our old Republicans, "stiff-backs," such men as Hance, Hance, H. H. Hemenway, S. W. Hemenway, Asa Hemenway, the Haney's, Dr. J. L. Taylor, the Shaws, T. O Medary, Ike Kerndice; in fact we have been informed by one who knows, that there are but fifty-two Grant men in the entire town, "one of which" our worthy Postmaster is whom. The Democrats will go Greeley to a man.

—Because Yerger is in favor of Horace Greeley, the President's journals set him down as "the unhung murderer of Colonel Crane." The same papers are conspicuously quiet about Grant's guerillia Mosby and the Michigan cavalrymen hanged during the war.

—The Connell Bluffs (Iowa) *Republican* (Grant paper) is in favor of sending W. F. Sapp to Congress, because "he is an old friend and law-student of Secretary Delano, and a cousin and former law partner of Hon. W. H. Smith, Assistant Attorney General," and "would, it will thus be seen, go to Washington possessing peculiar facilities for serving this city and county." But if Colonel Sapp shall be so fortunate as to go to Washington, next winter, as Congressman elect, he will find his friends Delano, Smith, *et al.* just packing up to leave; and the Eighth District of Iowa may, withal, prefer to send a Representative in accord with the Administration. "Peculiar facilities" don't hold good beyond the 4th of March.

—The Vincennes *Sun* says that Judge James C. Denny, the Republican candidate for Attorney General of Indiana, is again quite sick, and it is intimated that continued ill-health will compel him to withdraw from the canvass.

—The Keokuk *Constitution* says:

> Iowa has been set down among the reliable States for Grant; and, if he can't carry Iowa, what State can he carry? But mark the prediction. In this State the vote between Greeley and Grant will be very close, with the chances in favor of Greeley.

—Clayton County, Iowa, which gave Grant 800 majority, is claimed for Greeley by a full thousand; and the claim is attested by a list of well-known names. There are four Greeley papers in the County. The "land-slide" from Grant has been heard, and felt, and seen, in that quarter.

—The fight is now between Dr. Greeley, of Amherst, and Dr. Ueonus S. Grant, of Harvard. A long-suffering people will decide in November as to which is the better doctor—he would heal the nation's wounds, or he who would keep them open.

## NEW YORK.

### The Fiery and Firing Fourth.

### Horace Greeley's Present Occupation —His Permanent Retirement from the Tribune.

### Grand Celebration of Goethe's Birthday—Strauss Besieged by Silly Women.

### Journalistic and Literary Gossip.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEW YORK, July 4.

This may seem rather a strange day to write a letter on; but, when the whole city is stifling with heat, crowded with country-folk, and roaring with explosions of every possible sort, what worse thing can a man do?

THE HIDEOUS FOURTH.

As the American people are to well aware, the Fourth of July, as commonly celebrated is a sovereign nuisance, and a much greater nuisance here than anywhere else, because of the mixed character and greater number of the population.

The Fourth, almost always burning, is positively melting to-day. All the can-get-aways have fled the town, anxious to escape the heat, and crowd, and din; and our rural neighbors, for fifty miles around, have poured in to supply their place. The rural ists are now "enjoying" themselves to their highest, by waking through the blazing streets, exploding crackers and pistols, and consuming stale cakes and cheap lemonade at every baking corner. To this comedy side shows, as ordinarily conducted, orange and car horses overborne by the heat, are perishing by the dozen, and imprudent persons are struck down by the sun all over the city. New York is like a furnace, and the faint air that stirs at long intervals is like the breath of the simoon. Not less than four or five hundred persons, I venture to predict, will to-day be killed or prostrated by the heat, which has never been so destructive at any previous season. If this weather were to continue for three or four weeks longer, half of the inhabitants would be down with disease, and the other half would have become fugitives, making the city as desolate and deserted as Tadmor. There is at this moment the slightest suggestion in the sky of a storm, though no one looks for it, since the Fourth is consecrated to the service of Sirius. If we should be favored with rain, it will have little effect upon the temperature, —not improbably making it even more unendurable than it has been, by increasing the gravity of the atmosphere.

If you must celebrate the anniversary of our Independence, why may we not imitate the peculiarity of our Milesian fellow-citizens, and sometimes celebrate [the Fourth of July, which is the first of Paradise, in the month of October, when the weather is propitious, and something like comfort possible? As it is, we lose, every year, in the United States, nearly as many lives on the Fourth as we lost in battle during the entire struggle for Independence.

Many persons wonder how

GREELEY

passes his time, now that he has withdrawn from the *Tribune*. He occupies a large part of it in answering letters sent to him from every part of the land, and from not a few of the cities of Europe. H. G. has always had a fancy for correspondence, and has been for years in the habit of replying to anybody and everybody who addressed him in regard to politics, agriculture, or his own opinion on miscellaneous matter. As may be conceived, he has never found the days long enough to finish his work, and is now happy that he is relieved from the troubles of office-duty, and from the self-imposed obligation of filling two columns per day, he informs John Jones, in Texas, Peter Pepper, in New England, and Noah Jacobs, in Kansas, upon all they want to know.

Most men of business soon cease to write letters which are not of unquestionable practical importance, and Greeley is no doubt dreadfully bored on this point. He confers himself even upon their immediate relatives. Not so Greeley. He honors, and has always honored, with his own scripture, the ten thousand people who wish to ask questions of the Sage of Chappaqua. I am informed that the (late) *Tribune* Philosopher, since his retirement from that journal, has dispatched about 50 autograph epistles per day, and now is trying to continue the labor to the end of the year.

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would hardly appear like the *Tribune* if permanently dissociated from it; and yet this will, in all probability, happen. There is not much doubt, at present time, of his becoming the next President of the United States. When his term has expired, he will be over 60, and it is not very likely that he will then return to the chief editorship of the paper of which he was the founder, unless he should desire to add dignity to the first office in the gift of the nation by becoming once more a journalist. Nothing to all the indications. Horace Greeley's withdrawal from the *Tribune* will be permanent and forever.

One can scarcely imagine how the veteran editor will wrestle with time when he no longer furnishes brevier copy for the journal which, for more than thirty years, has been edited entirely, and, in the public mind, altogether his.

THE STOCKHOLDERS

of the *Tribune* have, as you may know, insured Greeley for $250,000,—fearing that his death at any time might so injure the paper with which he has been so closely identified, as to largely impair its profits by loss of prestige and advertising. Now, that his retirement will be gradual, the anticipated injury cannot occur. And, when Horace Greeley dies,—he would appear to be good for many years yet,—his profits as Horace Greeley, the individual, and not as Horace Greeley, the editor-in-chief of the New York *Tribune*.

Would, indeed, queer, after a few months, to find the *Tribune* criticizing and censuring President Greeley's policy, and coming down upon some of his acts in the slashing style which has heretofore been considered peculiarly Greeley's own? No doubt this will be; for, as everybody is aware, the *Tribune* is no longer an organ, and will be, in the future, more independent than it has been of party-policy, or administration.

AN EXPROPRIATION

of the future is the following, which is said to have occurred, the other day, in the editorial rooms at the corner of Spruce and Nassau streets: A messenger from Greeley ordered with the remark that the latter had thought it would be well to have an article written on the drouth in Europe. The gentleman to whom the message was delivered replied: "We don't allow any interference with the editorial department, nor do we want any suggestions from outsiders. Who is Horace Greeley? I don't know anything about him. He is not connected with this journal, and, if necessary, we will have a standing paragraph at the head of the *Tribune* to that effect."

The suggested article on the drouth in Europe has not been written.

It is reported that the Germans in this city, numbering nearly two hundred thousand, are taking steps to celebrate in grand style the anniversary of

THE BIRTH OF GOETHE,

which is the 28th of next August. The arrangements have not assumed as yet any definite shape, though it is thought that a *fete champetre*, at one of the up-town German gardens, with an *at home* masquerade ball, in which the principal characters are to be represented, will be one of the principal features. There will be a musical entertainment, of course, and the occasion promises to be remarkable and memorable in many ways. Some of our leading German citizens have entered enthusiastically upon the plan, and have issued circulars stating that the Goethe anniversary will be hereafter, not only regularly, but handsomely, observed here and in the other cities of the country.

JOHANN STRAUSS

is soon to give a number of concerts here, or rather to conduct them; and, as he has created such a furor in Boston, it is thought that his mere name will draw crowds in this city. Strauss would, doubtless, have made a vast deal of money if he had brought his admirable band, so familiar to all sojourners in Vienna, to this side of the Atlantic, and have shown the excellence of his performers in rendering music they have made famous.

It is to be hoped

## SANITARY MATTERS.

...ession of the Board of Health—The Ogden Gift—Healey Baragh, and Other Nuisances—Council and Discussed, but not Abated—Mortality for the Month of June—Sewerage—Report of the Health Department.

The Board of Health held a regular weekly meeting yesterday, Commissioner Hoard in the chair, and also present Messrs. Johnson, Reynolds, Schroeter, and Rauch. Mr. Secretary Rusche also present. The minutes of the last meeting, and of several subsequent ones, were read and approved.

NUISANCES.

The attention of the Health Officer was called by a resolution of the Council, directing the abatement of the McKetchen slaughtering and rendering establishment, on Stewart avenue, between Wharine and Wright streets.

The Finance Committee presented some small bills which were discussed, audited, and approved.

Health Officer Reynolds reported that in the month of June, 1 ... new cases were served, and 2,430 nuisances abated, that 33 quarters of beef, 33 carcasses of mutton, 45 hogs, and 41 calves were condemned, that 16 loads of garbage were removed from the Fifth Division, 650 from the South, and 500 from the North Division, that 250 loads of ashes were removed; that 128 dead horses, 206 dogs; 17 sheep, and 4 calves, were removed; 41 privies built, 8 sewer made, and fines assessed, amounting to $345.

During the past week 420 notices were served, 1,000 nuisances abated, and 11 quarters of beef, 7 calves, and 14 carcasses of mutton condemned.

The reports were accepted and placed on file.

After doing some routine business the Board adjourned.

## THE COURT HOUSE SQUARE.

**Conference of the City and County Authorities with Reference to the Future Erection of a New Court House—Prizes to be Offered for the Best Plans.**

A conference of the Building Committees of the Common Council and Board of County Commissioners was held at the office of the Board of Public Works, yesterday afternoon, the subject under consideration being the new city and county buildings. There were present His Honor the Mayor, the presiding Commissioner, Carter, Thompson, and Redding, of the Board of Public Works; Commissioners Ashton, Wahl, and Crawford, of the County Commissioners, and Aldermen Bailey, Coey, and Gardner.

The old agreement between the city and county authorities relative to the construction of a building on the west side of the Court House square was read, and it was agreed that it would have to be modified somewhat, so as to permit the erection of the proposed building.

Ald. Gardner inquired what right the city had to the west half of the square.

Commissioner Ashton replied that the city could use the ground for a building, and that there was no doubt that the county would give the city the right in perpetuity, if the building erected conformed in architectural design to the one put up by the county. The County Commissioners contemplated the occupancy of the whole square, the building to set back from the sidewalk 30 or 35 feet, as may be decided. The county, however, would not attempt to dictate the style of building.

Ald. Gardner was confident that harmony would characterize any conference that may be had with the authorities.

About two hours was thus spent in discussion, and the following resolutions were presented and adopted:

By Mayor Medill:

Resolved, That the Corporation Council and County Attorney are directed, under the general instructions of the respective committees on Public Buildings of the county and city, to draw a contract for the use of the west half of the Court House Square and a building to be erected thereon; said contract to be submitted to the common Council and County Commissioners for consideration, amendment, and ratification, the basis of said contract to be such existing rights and agreements of the respective municipal corporations in said Court House Square, the same to be modified to meet the future necessities of the institutions.

By Commissioner Ashton:

Resolved, That on or before the 1st day of August the Building Committee of the County Commissioners of Cook County, with the Board of Public Works of the City of Chicago, prepare in full and specific detail the plans for the new court house and jail, and that the same be submitted to the Board of County Commissioners and Common Council, with the understanding that premiums be made by the County of Cook and the City of Chicago, as soon as the details can be finally agreed upon, viz:

*Resolved*, That it is the sense of this joint meeting that they will recommend to the Common Council of the city of Chicago and the Board of Commissioners of Cook County that the city of Chicago and the County of Cook will authorize the Building Committee of the several wards to offer a prize of $[illegible] for the best plan, $2,000 for the second best plan, and $1,000 for the third best plan for a Court House and City Hall, to be erected jointly by the County of Cook and city of Chicago upon the public square in the city of Chicago, the said plans to be submitted to the respective Boards in conjunction with the Board of Public Works of the city of Chicago.

The meeting then adjourned.

## LAW INTELLIGENCE.

**Second Day of the Blake Divorce Case in the Superior Court—A Cheerful Batch of Allegations and Answers—Arraignments and Convictions in the Criminal Court.**

SUPERIOR COURT.

THE BLAKE DIVORCE BUSINESS.

The case of Barnum Blake, of Winetka, late of Port Washington, against Christine Blake, and the case of Christine against Barnum, was continued yesterday (each of them asking for divorce, but the man having commenced the proceedings), before Judge Gary and a jury. The proceedings for the day included the opening speech by S. S. Dow, Esq., in behalf of the wife, and the perusal of the bill of Blake, the answer of the wife, her cross bill, and his answer thereto. These may be thus summarized: Barnum Blake on the 7th of June, 1870, accused his wife of adultery with Thomas S. Thompson, a lawyer. Mrs. Blake denied the charge, and stated that her husband had cruelly intreated her. Then she filed her cross bill, alleging that he was an adulterer, a reviler of religion, a wife-beater, by [illegible], a perjurer in the divorce of a former spouse, a monster of unconscionable temper, given to lewdness and profanity. To the Mr. Blake replied that every thing his wife had alleged was untrue, and when alleged by her known to her as untrue, this being his counsel's pleasing way, in upward of fifty paragraphs of saying the lied. That she was not only an adulteress, but that she gloried in it; that she was she who reviled the Scriptures, and did not want "the sacred rite of baptism performed upon her children," and because she had so declared that he caused her to procure several miscarriages. Be answered that he not only knew nothing of the taking of the proof of the trust, but then he remonstrated with the wife, so that upon other occasions she stole money from his pockets while he was sick to enable her to do the criminal act. By the answer to the cross bill, it would appear that at Washington, D. C., at a Presidential reception, Mr. Blake consented to and did change clothes with a Mr Cutler, he appearing with Mrs Cutler for his wife, and Cutler escorting Mrs. Blake. The speeches of solicitors and the pleadings are sharply allegations of crime on each side. The interest of the case, if it has any, will commence to-day when testimony will be produced.

PROVING SATISFACTION.

Diana Cooke yesterday filed her petition against Thomas R. King and others, to establish title to the east 20 feet of Lot 3, Block 6, Kinzie's Addition.

CRIMINAL COURT.

CONVICTIONS REMANDED.

Fred Fletcher pleaded guilty of an assault with a butcher-knife upon Ira Scott, and was remanded.

Robert Arnold acknowledged five acts of larceny, and was remanded.

John Coates and James Barclay, for driving off a horse, were left over until sentence-day.

Thomas H. Barrett, colored, acknowledged the larceny of two boilers. Remanded.

Thomas Culver, Thomas Delany, Joseph Gillespie, and R. J. Hewett pleaded guilty of petit larceny. They also were remanded.

Joseph Dunlap pleaded guilty of the larceny of a watch. Remanded.

DISAGREEMENT.

B. H. Frost was tried upon an indictment charging him with receiving stolen goods. The jury disagreed.

CONVICTED AND TO BE PUNISHED.

Henry Corey was convicted of highway robbery, the forcible taking of a watch upon the street, for which the jury awarded him ten years in the Penitentiary.

Edward Dodd was found guilty of stealing three drums. He was remanded.

CIRCUIT COURT.

TRESPASS AND CASE.

An action on the case was commenced by Hans J. Rabash, administrator of estate of Ralph Rabash, against the Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago Rail way Company. The damages (statutory) are laid at $5,000

An action of trespass was commenced by George Bowles against Amos J. Snell, David and Charles D. Cole, charging wrongful eviction from a house, and claiming $6,000.

Trespass was instituted by Francis Campbell against Charles C. Fredryke, the damages being laid at $25,000.

## A HUMAN KANGAROO.

**The One-Legged Boy Who Boards C., B. & Q. Trains Running at Full Speed—A Remarkable Youngster.**

Coming into the city on a C., B. & Q. train, as it entered the suburbs yesterday, a youngster about 16 years old, with one leg amputated to a very brief stump, was observed handling his crutch briskly along the side of the track, evidently with a skilled purpose to get his momentum up to that of the rapidly-moving train. He did it, and climbed upon the rear platform, and sat down as cool as though his feat had not excited the wonder of a score of passengers who watched him. The appearance was as if a lame lad had taken some risk to secure a ride townward. But at Canal street he climbed down from his perch and went back down the track with flying leaps, like a kangaroo, with the evident purpose of boarding a long freight train, already under good headway in the opposite direction. It was an exploit only the most adroit (and venturesome) railway employe would think of attempting, so great was the speed of the train; but again the little monopede achieved it, clung like a monkey to the iron ladder on the side of a car, near the front of the train, and there went all over hand with his crutches under his arm. The next instant he was running rapidly and hopping with long strides forward along the top of the cars, taking the interspaces as easily as a boy skips over a cross-walk. And here was developed that this ledge is the victim of an extraordinary passion for riding on the cars. Of course he lost his leg in this way at the Great Western crossing eighteen months ago, and was in the habit of attendance and a light crutch in the Railroad Company. Any one would think the loss of the leg would be a lesson for a lifetime, but instantly on recovery he resumed his sport, which had become a passion. Since that time he has been on the whole day in the near neighborhood of the railroad tracks, and is completely equipped him with means of locomotion with which he displays a skill of a two-legged youngster. His progress by every train that passes, takes excursions into the country at will, save of being able to compass his return in the same way. Railroad employes would and put him off, but the crippled condition secures him immunity, and as he never mounts a train until it is in motion, he gives them the option to stop the train or throw him off. There is no moral to the story beyond the mention of the fact. If the loss of a leg is no lesson to keep off moving trains, there seems to be no remedy except to shorten them at the other end. Perhaps, after all, it is as well for the young scamp to carry his youngster as a prominent advertisement to other lads of the peril of the practice of which he is so noted an example.

## THE NEW MINISTER.

**Formal Induction of Rev. Mr. McLoughlin as Pastor of the Scotch Presbyterian Church—Interesting and Impressive Ceremonies.**

Yesterday evening the Scotch Presbyterian Congregation of this city met in their church, at the corner of Adams and Sangamon streets, for the purpose of witnessing the induction of their new minister, the Rev. Mr. McLoughlin.

At the commencement the Rev. Dr. Borden, Secretary of the Presbytery of Chatham, inquired if any one present had any objection to the induction. Since no one responded, they proceeded with the ceremonies by singing a psalm, after which the third chapter of Paul's First Epistle to the Corinthians was read, and prayer was offered by Dr. Borden long and fervently, after a part of another psalm. The Rev. Dr. Borden then preached a brief and appropriate sermon, taking his text from the 15 Seventh Chapter of the First Epistle of John: "God is Love." That God is love, appeared in the book of Nature, and even earthquakes and volcanoes were the exceptions that proved the rule, and if all were knows concerning them might also be looked on as manifestations of love. The workings of providence also testified to the truth of the text. Infinite love alone could tenderly watch over mankind and the various forms of insect life for six thousand years. The trials of life did not prove that God was a God of wrath, for they were the exceptions. Those dispensations were also merciful. The final and concluding proof of the truth of the text was found in God's work of redemption, and he closed by answering the objections made to the bible position by proving that the eternal punishment of the wicked was unquestionably greater than the number of the damned.

The Rev. Dr. Borden then stated the pulpit had been vacant for about two years. Two months ago Mr. McLoughlin's name had been mentioned to the congregation, and the call for him received 250 names, was favorably acted on by the Presbytery of Chatham and the minister himself.

Mr. McLoughlin was then asked the usual doctrinal questions by Dr. Borden, and made satisfactory answers.

The congregation then stood up, and testified by holding up their right hands their adherence to their call, and their readiness to support and take care of their new pastor.

The Rev. Dr. Borden again prayed, and then gave the right hand of fellowship to Mr. McLoughlin, and declared him inducted.

The Rev. Mr. Wing, of Burton, then addressed the minister and congregation on their respective duties, after which the services were concluded with prayer.


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removes tan, sunburn, and freckles.


—The reign of white muslin fanichons, as they are called in Paris, over light under skirts, is absolute. They are puffed and edged with frills, which are edged with plain washing tulle, thus presenting a very snowy appearance. Black velvet ribbon is used to loop these clumsy overgarments. They are pretty, cool and *negligé*.

—Michael Miller, 65 years of age, while on his knees at service in St. Philomena Church, yesterday morning, died of heart-disease, without uttering a groan or making a struggle. Deceased was a widower, formerly a farmer near Reading, and recently living with his son, at No. 33 East Pearl street. He was a native of Germany.—*Cincinnati Commercial, July 3.*

## BUSINESS NOTICES.


Gossamer Rubber Goods for sale by Frost, Prouty & Co., 204 Lake street. Send for circular. Agents wanted everywhere.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup for children teething, greatly facilitates the process, by softening the gums, reducing all inflammation—will allay all pain and spasmodic action.

Sibley & Tuttle-ott, C. H. Rockwith & Co., Hillinger & Bro., Van Schaack, Stevenson & Reid, Lord, Smith & Co., and others, sell Burnett's Saponaceous Flavoring Extracts.

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It is a Crime to exhaust still further the vitality of an enfeebled system by using the vile nostrums and other strength destroying medicines. No case of dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, nervousness or chronic or periodic fever can withstand in that way. What the debilitated sufferer needs is a remedy that combines the properties of an invigorant, a stimulant, a mild aperient, a sedative, and a blood depurient are combined, and Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the only preparation in the world in which these essential sanitary elements are united in the right proportions necessary to overcome disease without prostrating the patient. This agreeable and potent vegetable elixir is in the truest sense of the word, a tonic, for it imparts vigor to the whole body, re-establishes functional regularity, enriches the blood, purifies the blood, and clears the clouded brain.

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TO RENT—FOR 1, 2, OR 3 YEARS, A NEW 2 story and basement brick dwelling house, 10 rooms, bandsome swelled front of pressed brick, with all modern trimmings; Saratoga heater, bath with four stools, and large rooms for carriage, horse, and provender. Half block south of Madison st cars and horse-railway. Apply at house, No. 19 Monroe st. JNO G ROGERS.

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PROVING SATISFACTION.

Diana Cooke yesterday filed her petition against Thomas R. King and others, to establish title to the east 20 feet of Lot 3, Block 6, Kinzie's Addition.

TO RENT—AT WINNETKA, ON MILWAUKEE R R, seven rooms, cottage, with ground for cooking over the lake; rent only $35 per month. R. M. GRAVES, Winnetka.

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TO RENT — ONE OF THE FINEST BRICK fences on West Side, suitable for a first class private boarding-house. A small amount of new furniture for sale. Address 2 47, Tribune office.

TO RENT—THREE-STORY BRICK DWELLing, No. 721 West Van Buren st, with gas and water, and stable. J. E. PATTERSON, 203 Michigan-av.

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25x125 feet on Park-av, east of Wood st, south front.

50x110 feet, corner Park-av and Woodlawn, with improvements.

25x125 feet on West Adams-st, east of Paulina.

50x125 feet, Ellis av, corner Fifteenth-st.

House and lot, 4 rooms, Fifteenth-st.

25x125 feet, Prairie-av, 5th west from Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth sts.

25x125 feet, Indiana-av, south of Thirty-fifth st.

62x100 feet on Thirty-fifth st, near Vincennes av.

50x125 feet, Thirty-first st, west of Lincoln.

House and lot, W. Taylor st, near Desplaines, cheap.

Cottage and lot, 4 rooms, Fifteenth-st, near Wood.

Cottage and lot 20x125, Washington-av, near West Hill acres on North Halsted st.

Five acres at Lawndale, below the market.

Inquire as above or to WRIGHT & TYRRELL.

FOR SALE—BY JACOB WELL & CO., No. 15 and 16 Larimer st, Home Block, Basement:

300 feet on the southeast corner of Wells and Jackson sts, will be sold at a great bargain for a few days. 100 feet on the southeast corner of Fifth av and Monroe st, very low. Best little corner for sale in the city.

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FOR SALE—BY H. C. MOREY, 118 WEST MADIson st., special bargains in the following lots:

In the city of Ashland av, near Lake st., $125 per foot; corner lot.

66 feet, Monroe st, near Lincoln st, $5,000.

Lot 66 feet, corner, on Adams-st, east of Oakley-st, $6,200.

100x132, Irving Park, near depot, corner of Ada.

50 feet, Fullerton av, near Halsted, $1,000.

10 lots fronting Douglas Park, $11,000.

100 feet, Indiana av., near Fourteenth st., $175 per foot.

FOR SALE—CHEAP LOTS! CHEAP LOTS!—On monthly payments, and just outside of the fire limits of the city. Also, 10 acres, 5 miles south and west of California av, accessible by Madison and Twelfth st cars. Price, $100 per acre. Terms, one-tenth monthly payment to suit. For further particulars inquire at the office of Conch Subdivision, 201 West Madison st.

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FOR SALE—TWO LOTS ON CANAL-ST, BEtween Harrison and Mather, 25x100 feet. Inquire of J. C. DORR, 111 Dearborn st, Room 2.

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FOR SALE—MARBLE FRONT HOUSE ON 2d Van Buren-st, near Ashland-av, 2 stories and basement, with all modern improvements. Immediate possession. HENRY WALLER, Jr., 136 West Madison-st.

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FOR SALE—LOTS ON TWELFTH, COOLIDGE, and Sampson sts, one block west of Ashland av. Great bargains; very easy terms. Inquire here and will improve. A rare opportunity to those wishing to secure a home for very little money.

50 feet on Ada-st, near Lake, cheap. City limits; easy terms.

Several hundred feet on Wabash-av, near city limits, offered for a few days.

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## POLITICAL.

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Allen called for the reading of a report of the names of the delegates.

Stanton Dodson suggested that the Committee on the subject have further time, which was agreed to.

W. H. Harrell, of Lounsville, said he understood it was not the object of this Convention to take any definite action until it should be ascertained what course has been taken by the Baltimore Convention. This Convention will acquiesce in what is done by the Baltimore Convention, if it should adopt a Democratic platform and nominate Democratic candidates.

A motion for a Committee to prepare an address to the people was seconded by Van Alen.

Mr. Stokes, of South Carolina, favored initiating a movement which would bring together the true democracy of the country and secure its organization.

Peter Keyser, of Indiana, advocated the necessity of keeping the Democracy together.

M. M. Pomeroy "Brick") offered a resolution declaring that there was no intention to produce a schism in the Democratic organization, or to weaken the power of the Convention of Cincinnati, but that "we, as Democrats, prefer principles to men, the preservation of the party to the aggrandizement to power; pledging our support to the nominations of the regular Democratic Convention, providing they are Democratic; also that, if the Democratic organization is not so effected, co-operation be given in a future movement to reorganize it."

The resolutions were unanimously adopted.

Pomeroy then spoke, saying that he didn't believe in the cry of choosing between two Republicans. He did not wish to have the dirty Greeley, whose life was tainted with treason. Greeley never can be President. True Democrats will not support him. The ghosts of Calhoun and Grant are more potent than the turnips and cabbages of the Farmer of Chappaqua.

A committee was appointed for permanent organization.

Geo. Baxter, of Pennsylvania, said he had left his principles of business in Philadelphia to come here in behalf of the Democracy. Adjourned until to-morrow noon.

### THE "HONEST DEBT" OF THE NATIONAL CONVENTION.

Special Despatch to The Chicago Tribune.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The *World* scouts the idea that the Baltimore Convention should adopt Greeley and Brown by any other process than a regular nomination, saying: "Since the Convention thinks it inexpedient to present a straight ticket, it will nominate Greeley in the regular manner, by a two-thirds vote, thereby binding the whole party to support him, and giving us a responsible control over his administration, in the event of his election. If, for reasons of expedience, we are to take a candidate who so little represents our principles, it is all important that we put a Democratic hook in his nose and prevent his doing mischief. The only thing that can reconcile us to the nomination of Greeley is the supposition that the Democracy is the moral and political control the party would have over him as its regular candidate, and this control is thereby secured. Greeley indebted to the Democracy for his nomination, and a large audience, and were well appreciated by a large number of friends and other friends of the College. Miss Fanny Godwin, of Peoria, Ill., arrived last night, and sings at the concert to-morrow evening.

## ARKANSAS.

### Killing of Prisoners by a Sheriff's Posse.

LITTLE ROCK Ark., July 9.—A few days since Deputy Sheriff Williams, of Pope County, returned to Dardanelle, County seat, from that county, with a bullet-hole through his hat and one at starting that he had been fired on from the rear while in pursuit. Yesterday the Sheriff summoned a posse of men, went out and had arrested four persons, generally considered to be the best citizens of the county, on suspicion of committing the deed. In the evening he started with them to Dardanelle, a distance of about twelve miles, with the avowed intention of bringing them before the Circuit Court. Before leaving Dover, it appears that the sheriff had stated he expected to be fired on before reaching Dardanelle. About half way between the two points, the four prisoners were placed in front of a guard, and, after traveling a short distance, all part of the posse left the crowd. Soon after the shots were heard in front of the Sheriff's crowd, and he at once gave orders to the guard to fire. They did so, killing two, and it is thought three of the prisoners. One escaped. The sheriff and the Clerk of the County then dispersed the posse and came into this city to see the Governor, arriving this evening. The citizens also sent a deputation to see the Governor. They say that the portions of the people, are in arms, and serious results may follow.

## FOREIGN.

### GERMANY.

LONDON, July 9.—The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* writes that the increasing tide of emigration from Germany to America causes considerable uneasiness to the Imperial Government. Measures for the repression of this exodus of the subjects of the Empire are seriously contemplated.

NISSAU, July 9.—The monument to the great German statesman, Stein, was unveiled in this city to-day. The ceremony took place in the presence of the Emperor and Empress of Germany, and Prince Frederick William, and the chief dignitaries of the country and Empire. The spectacle was witnessed by vast crowds of people from all parts of Europe. Geo. Bancroft, U. S. American Minister at this Court, was invited to address the Assemblage. He gave an eloquent account of the career of the illustrious statesman whose memory Germany to-day celebrates, he said, first kindled the idea of German unity, and time had fanned the spark into a flame. To him Germany owed the proud position she now held towards the nations of the earth.

### GREAT BRITAIN.

EDINBURG, July 9.—A terrible explosion occurred, to-day, in an extensive flour mill at Glasgow. Flames burst out immediately after the explosion, and the building was entirely destroyed. Eleven persons buried in the ruins were burned to death, and twelve were taken out badly injured. The cause of the explosion is

### MEXICO.

CITY OF MEXICO, July 1.—The revolutionary movement continues, and assassination and kidnapping prevails everywhere. The Mexican Journals are full of complaints against the machinations of the Government.

Sariscal, the Mexican Minister to the United States, will probably go to Washington on the 15th. Thomas H. Nelson, Minister of the United States to Mexico, will also sail for New York on the 15th inst., and will then leave the Mexican Minister.

It is reported that ex-Governor Rees will soon assume the Governorship of Vera Cruz.

The execution of Yuslan, formerly a member of the press, in Cuba, by the Spanish authorities, created a great excitement here.

General Roscoranas has published a manifesto censuring the Mexican Journals for having attacked his private character, thereby injuring the prospects of Gen. Negrete, who is about to be elected President. The manifesto, however, arrived too late.

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